Valley gravel pits face big challenge

The right of the gravel industry to expand its valley operations without first having resolved local questions on truck flow and long-term reclamation of those depleted pits is heading for its first serious challenge.

Development of a new 167-acre open pit mine on Stanley Boulevard by Lone Star Industries will be the subject of a public hearing before the Alameda County Planning Commission on Monday. The Times has learned that county staff will call for a continuance of those hearings until Oct. 14, "at which time there will be further testimony, and perhaps a final determination."

The staff's reaction to that Lone Star "reclamation plan" will "detail several conditions but none of them very startling," a county spokesman said.

That staff report will not challenge the flow of gravel trucks on Stanley Boulevard and through Pleasanton "because the Lone Star application now before us is a small part of the total extraction industry in that area ... we don't see where 167 acres more is going to really impact the truck problem."

The cities of Pleasanton and Livermore and the Congress of Valley Agencies (COVA) will disagree with that staff conclusion.

"We feel it is within the spirit (of the reclamation requirements) to expand the environmental inquiry to the extraction process itself," Pleasanton contends in its written statement to be included in Monday's testimony. Pleasanton cites damage to city streets (facts brought out in recent articles in The Times) and some significant new information on the "noise impact" being generated by "the 2000 trucks per day utilizing this trafficway."

The city report contends "the noise from these gravel trucks" makes an area within 700 feet of First Street "unacceptable for residential use." Any move to reduce the speed of those trucks, or install more signal lights would only "increase the above distances" of intollerable noise impact.

Pleasanton will contend that the impact of this truck flow on local streets and nearby homes "was contemplated when the original permit was granted" to Lone Star for that Stanley Boulevard pit. The answer, the city contends, was to be development of El Charro Road to allow the bulk of those trucks to proceed directly north from Stanley to I-580.

County staff intends to argue that "this one additional quarry is not going to make that much difference" in that gravel truck problem. But valley spokesmen see the Lone Star expansion "as a test case ... if we can't force the industry's hand here, when will we ever be able to require them to come up with long-term answers to all these questions?"

Monday's public hearing on the Lone Star reclamation proposal will be heard by the county planning commission some time after 2:30 p.m., at the County Auditorium, 399 Elmhurst St. in Hayward.

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Weather

Fair through Monday in the valley but with late and morning low clouds. A little cooler today. Lows tonight in he low 50s. Highs both days in the mid 70s to mid 80s. Westerly winds 10 to 20 mph afternoons. Livermore 52-82.

'Dips' to learning

PLEASANTON — Some 150 first grade and pre-first grade students are getting a jump on learning how to read by taking a daily plunge in the Recreation Center pool.

The two-week long program gives five classes at Alisal School the chance to improve motor development.

This is the fourth year of the program which combines the organization and professional teaching skills of Alisal primary teachers and invaluable aide of about 20 mothers.

Each class walks down to the rec center pool for a 15 to 20-minute session in the water.

Teachers provide lesson plans which mothers work by in leading class sessions.

Object is to improve mobility in the water by hopping, skipping and moving about in the water.

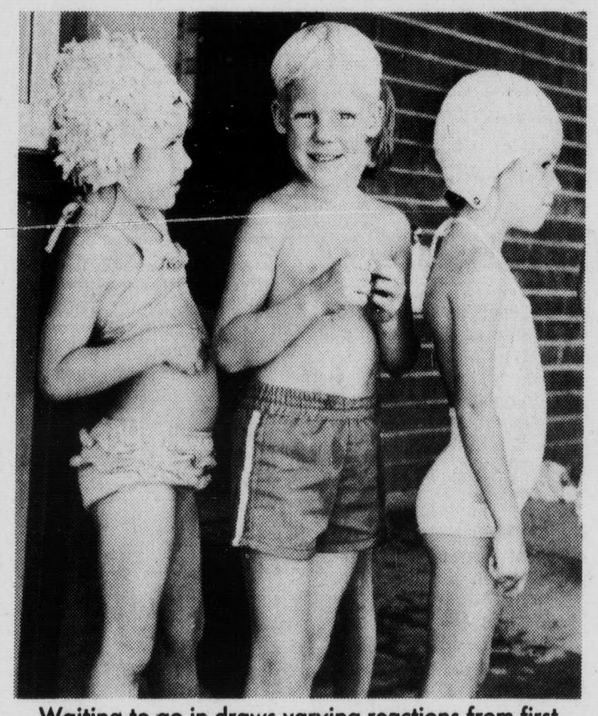
David Medinas, reading specialist at Alisal the last two years, believes the daily stints in the water not only develop self-awareness and body image but eye-hand and eye-to-foot coordination.

As elemental and automatic as it may seem to an adult, the child just learning to read must have this coordination as well as the left-to-right eye movement ingrained.

After the daily sessions over the two-week period, the first graders continue the physical development correlation to reading via activities in physical education for the rest of the year.

Teachers who have organized the motor skills development program include Patricia Allison, Shirley Larson, Sue Kast, Barbara Corrin and Nancy Sudekum.

— by Al Fischer



Waiting to go in draws varying reactions from first graders.



Mother instructs children in motor development.



Little ladies head for dressing room after dip in pool.

Third time this year

Valley Memorial to raise room rates again

LIVERMORE — That Valley Memorial Hospital room Uncle Joe had 16 months ago for $84 a day will be costing $110 come Nov. 1.

For the third time this year, VMH is raising its rates — much to the chagrin of the board of directors. This time, the increase is blamed directly on a $58,000 increase in malpractice insurance rates, which have crept up from $100,000 last year to $188,000 for the current fiscal year.

Valley Memorial, which is planning to do $6.6 million worth of business this year (July 1, 1975 - June 30, 1976), will have some $120,000 in reserve after all its bills are paid. Although the budget shows a $649,000 cash flow increase, most of that will be going for mortgage payments and land acquisition.

Directors were unanimous in not wanting to dip into their $120,000 reserve this early in the year to pay the insurance company.

Instead, they added $1 on to the daily room rate, $1 onto the emergency room fee, $5 onto surgery and a total of $20,000 to be spread among lab, physical therapy, inhalation therapy and other services.

Director Joe Sladky tried to get the board to commit itself to immediately lowering the room rate again, if malpractice insurance goes down in a year or two as it is expected to do, now that a brand-new state law has been passed.

But his colleagues preferred to wait until that day came, then decide whether the hospital could afford to cut the rate back.

It was just a dollar this time, but two months ago the board raised the rates by $8 for a semi-private room.

Back in February, rates were raised once again — from $92 a day to $101.

The February hike was made to cover two items: raises for VMH employes, and raises in the malpractice insurance rates.

According to a statement from Andrews at that time, the malpractice bill was expected to be $190,000 for the coming year.

Subsequently, the staff found a way to keep the bill down to $130,000 (by raising their deductible to $5,000 per settlement) but did not drop the rates.

It was July 1, 1974, that VMH raised their $84 room rate to $92. Before this past year's series of jumps, which paralleled dramatic inflation throughout the national economy, VMH traditionally raised rates once a year, at the start of the new fiscal year.

According to comptroller Helen Guerney, the rate increases don't hit most patients directly in the pocketbook. The average health plan covers all or a fixed percentage of the hospital bill.

Instead, she said, what goes up is the patient's health insurance premium.

VMH administrator Tom Andrews told directors at their Thursday night board meeting that he was a little suspicious of the validity of the insurance rate increase.

"It's exactly 66 and two-thirds per cent," he reported. "It doesn't seem to me they (California Hospital Association Insurance Co.) are doing any actuarial work on the premium itself. It seems very arbitrary."

Rates for all hospitals will be going up by 66⅔, he added.

He reported he "must've sent two dozen telegrams" to officials over the past six months protesting the malpractice insurance rate hikes. "This has been an ongoing fight."

— by Pat Kennedy

Valley bids for BART service

Four East Bay communities on the fringe of Bay Area Rapid Transit service have agreed to "present a united front" in demanding better consideration in future transport decisions.

"We're tired of being treated like the stepchildren of a district in which we pay our full share of taxes," explained Wm. Herlihy, vice mayor for Pleasanton and one of the score of representatives at that Friday session in Concord.

Mayor Archer Futch headed the Livermore delegation and Lila Euler, president of the Valley Community Services District board of directors, spearheaded Dublin's representation.

Recent attempts by BART's management to cut back on bus service throughout this valley apparently prompted the gathering.

"We're not involved in any plans for changing BART schedules, and we think we ought to be," Herlihy said in explaining the group's thinking. All four communities agreed that "we had never been consulted" prior to the BART staff announcement of an Oct. 1 removal of bus service to cities that are now beyond that district's train lines. That cutback has apparently been delayed indefinitely, according to Rogert Allen, BART board member from Livermore. Allen says the matter of such cutbacks will come before the full board at its Oct. 23 scheduled meeting.

The East Bay communities that are now tied to BART only by bus, and could stand to lose even that, will now "work through the district's subcommittees and on up to the full board" in demanding better recognition of these hinterland areas.

"We don't mind some cutbacks, where they are logical," Herlihy explained, "but then there are other areas where service should be improved." He cited a bus link to Chabot College District's Valley Campus as one "glaring gap in that service."

Airline to firm its plan

LIVERMORE — Cal Air, the commuter airline that will fly between Livermore and San Francisco and had hoped to begin service Sept. 8 — then Sept. 22 or 29 — will start flights in mid-October, assured sales manager Rick Duste.

The airline will hold a staff meeting Monday to establish a firm date, said Duste, and it probably will be Oct. 20.

Cal Air will fly between the Livermore Municipal Airport and San Francisco International Airport weekdays with four flights to San Francisco in the morning (6, 7, 8 and 9 a.m.) and four to Livermore in the evening (6, 7, 8 and 9 p.m.).

One-way fare will be $16.20 with tax.

Cal Air planned to use Western Airlines Gate 64A but according to Duste the airline will have passengers use United Airlines Gate 10.

Duste explained the airport is considering establishing a commuter airlines gate in a few months, at which time Cal Air would use the exclusive terminal.

Reservations for Cal Air flights will be taken after a firm starting date is designated, Duste has indicated.

'P' Street merchants seek parking limits

LIVERMORE — While downtown merchants beseech the city council for more parking, retailers along N. P Street between First Street and Railroad Avenue ask for a little less.

There is no time limit on cars parked along that section of P Street and the merchants there request that the area be designated a two-hour parking zone.

The council will consider their proposal at a regular meeting Monday night in the Municipal Court Chambers, 39 S. Livermore Ave., starting at 8 p.m.

"The parking problem has developed along that section of P Street because of the new stores in the Southern Pacific Shopping Center," Public Works Director Dan Lee explains in a report to the council.

He goes on to recommend that a two-hour limit parking zone be approved.

Channelization (a median, left turn lanes and crosswalks) is in P Street's future and when that occurs — probably by spring 1976 — there will be no parking along P Street from First Street to Railroad Avenue, according to Rick Dondro of the public works department.

Chabot teachers expected to approve new pay pact

A settlement was tentatively reached late Friday between teachers at Chabot College campuses in Livermore and Hayward and the college district Board of Trustees in their long cost of living increase dispute.

The agreement calls for a $1,450 across the board increase for all full-time regular faculty members, amounting to a 7.6 per cent average boost. Part-time teachers will receive a $1.50 per hour wage increase, from $12 to $13.50 per hour.

The package also includes an optical plan, in addition to existing medical and dental plans. A retirement plan allowing teachers with a longer tenure to retire earlier is also included.

Agreement was reached in the month-old dispute after a negotiation session Friday afternoon between the two sides. During the dispute, teachers had manned informational picket lines but continued to attend all class meetings.

Ray Edwards, chairman of the faculty senate at the Hayward campus, expected teachers to overwhemingly ratify the agreement tomorrow. "I doubt there will be any problem in getting agreement on this package," Edwards said.

Members of the California Teachers Association (CTA) and the American Federation of Teachers (AFT) will vote on the pact sometime tomorrow. The Certificated Employes' Council (CEC), which represents both unions, will conduct the balloting.

Teachers first received a 2.5 per cent salary increase on June 20, which they turned down. They charged the board with refusing to discuss any alternatives. On August 20, the teachers approved two resolutions — one castigating the board "for trying to ram proposals down our throats without a chance to study them," and the second giving unanimous support to the CEC.

The board later offered a 6 per cent increase, but teachers stuck to their demands for a 12 per cent cost of increase equal to the national cost of living. They compared this to 11.1 per cent increases for administrative personnel, and a ten per cent raise for classified personnel.

Edwards expected the vote to take place at the Hayward campus tomorrow, although a time had not been set.

— by Bill Cauble

Pleasanton tree drive growing

That "Trees for Pleasanton" fund continues to draw interest and support from those who wish to be part of a unique community program aimed at replacing some of the fine old trees that once flanked the main entrances into the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Eavenson of 2182 Goldcrest Circle sent in their $15 contribution in the name of William H. King.

Brownie Troop 1742 recently voted to buy a tree in their name. Mrs. Roger Sprenkel sent her gift in memory of Mrs. Hazel Bethel.

Each $15 gift permits the purchase, planting and cultivation of one tree. The first plantings were along Hopyard Road, and additional plantings are projected for Foothill Road and Santa Rita Road.

Livermore council to weigh one-way bike path financing

LIVERMORE — The preliminary costs for right-of-way construction and fencing along the north side of East Avenue to create a one-way bicycle path are $59,000, a status report to be studied by the city council at its meeting Monday estimates.

According to Public Works Director Dan Lee, Alameda County's share of the costs would be $32,000; the City of Livermore's, $27,000.

Council members will review Lee's progress report when they meet starting at 8 p.m. Monday at the Municipal Court Chambers, 39 S. Livermore Ave.

Results of the East Avenue Bike Survey Committee reported to the council three weeks ago — which recommended the purchase of the north side right-of-way for a one-way bike path — were referred to the staff for cost estimates and possible funding sources.

"The right-of-way costs were assumed to be at the rate of $10,000 per acre; however, there may be improvements effected that would increase the cost," reported Lee. "Also, the rate could be greater," he added.

City Manager Bill Parness had preliminary discussions with county officials relative to the project, said Lee. It is assumed that Parness will report to the council on his conversations.

In other business scheduled for Monday night, the council will examine a map of those properties whose owners have requested secession from the city's sphere of influence

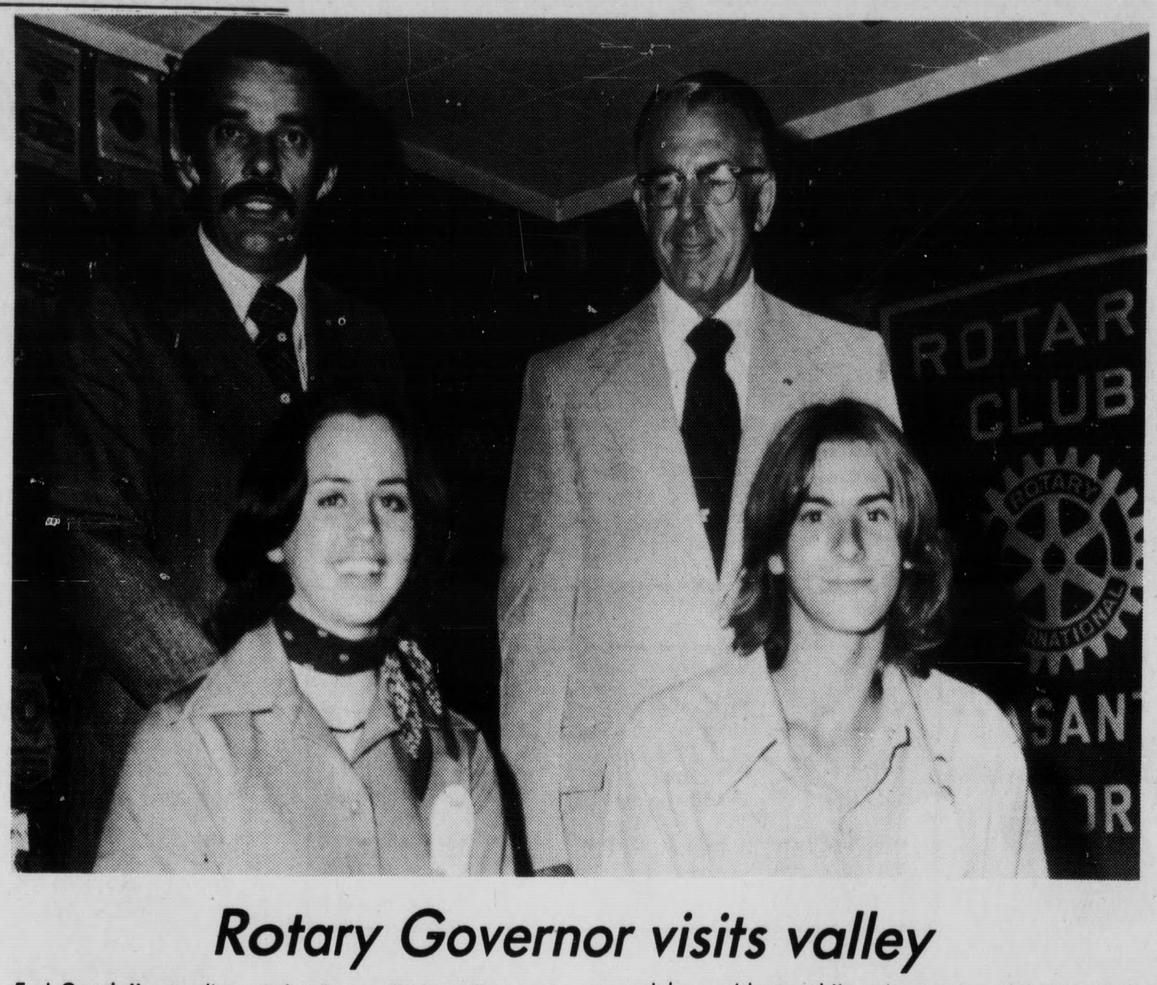
Charges filed in crash

John Michael Beserra has been formally charged with vehicular manslaughter and felony drunk driving after the car he was driving struck another vehicle, killing a 12-year-old boy and injuring two others.

Beserra is being held on $3,500 bail in the Livermore City Jail. Michael Kellman, 12, of 479 Hillcrest Ave., was pronounced dead on arrival at Valley Memorial Hospital after the accident.

The accident occurred Wednesday at the intersection of Seventh and H Sts. at about 5:30 p.m. Beserra allegedly broadsided the car at a high rate of speed, causing it to skid about 70 feet.

Veronica Dougherty remains in critical condition with head and chest injuries in the intenshve care unit of the hospital. Her son John, 12, sustained severe facial lacerations and was transferred to the pediatric ward in stable condition.



Rotary Governor visits valley

Earl Goodell, standing right, Rotary District Governor for District 517, paid an official visit to the Pleasanton Rotary Club Thursday as the latter club marked Student Involvement Day. Welcoming Goodell was Larry Lindsey, club president, while representing the two high schools in Pleasanton were, seated, D'Aun Wolfar, student body president at Foothill High, and Eric Miller, Amador Valley High. — (Times Photo)

Health care center

VMH changes name on Dublin-SR unit

SAN RAMON — That modern two-story building at the curve in the road, just where Alcosta Boulevard takes leave of housing tracts and plunges into the hills, will henceforth be known as the "Family Medical Center of Valley Memorial Hospital."

The name is being changed from the former "Dublin-San Ramon Health Care Center" in hopes of ending some of the confusion surrounding the attractive, but under-used facility, which is primarily a doctor's office for private patients, and secondarily a neighborhood emergency room.

Explains the center's director, Marge Hammer: "Some people weren't coming here because they thought it was a government clinic, not a private center.

"Others were coming because they thought it was like the Pleasanton Health Care Center, which is for low-income people. They were shocked at getting a bill for $17, compared with $8 in Pleasanton, for an office visit.

"And nobody seemed to realize we are connected with Valley Memorial Hospital."

The center was in fact set up almost two years ago by the Valley Memorial Hospital board of directors. It was to be the first of a series of such centers throughout the valley from San Ramon down to Sunol.

The Dublin - San Ramon border was chosen as the site of the first center because studies had shown there were far fewer doctors in that area than there should be, forcing residents to go as far afield as Hayward and Walnut Creek for their medical help.

As a result, when hospitalization was needed, those people ended up in Hayward and Walnut Creek hospitals instead of the local facility in Livermore.

The medical center's services include:

√ Doctor on duty, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.

√ Emergency-room equipment able to handle broken bones, heart attacks, stitches and so on, with patients transferred to VMH in Livermore if ongoing care is needed.

√ X-rays and lab work done on the spot.

√ Physical and inhalation therapy.

Prices are a bit lower for some of the work, thanks to the fact most tests and treatments can take place under the same roof. Also, a nurse practitioner (with specialized medical training) takes over much of the routine work.

The new title is meant to convey the idea that general practice for the whole family is offered; that services are centralized; and that the facility is operated by Valley Memorial Hospital (although local people serve on an advisory board to oversee its operation).

Valley Memorial Hospital directors Thursday night unanimously approved the new name, which was chosen over two other suggestions: "VMH Family Health Center" and "Valley Memorial Hospital Family Medical Center."

Livermore seniors get taxi rate break

LIVERMORE — Senior citizens are reminded they may qualify for the new joint City of Livermore/Tri-Valley Cab Company 50-cent taxi ride program.

Qualifying seniors may purchase up to 10 local taxi rides per month at a cost of 50 cents for each one-way ride within the city limits. Ride tickets are on sale at the city finance department, 2250 First St., 447-2100, ext. 22, between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. weekdays.

Discounted rides are available to local residents over 60 years of age who meet any one of the following requirements:

- Eligible for benefits under the state's supplemental program (SSP).
- Eligible for benefits under federal supplemental security income (SSI).
- Receiving welfare or other public assistance.
- Annual income **below** the following maximums: family of one, $2,590; two, $3,410; three, $4,230, or four, $5,050. (For each additional family member, increase the annual maximum income by $820.)

Eligible seniors are urged to take advantage of this discounted transportation program. For more information, contact the finance department.

Pleasanton budget analyzed

PLEASANTON — The city budget for the last fiscal year showed a $54,612 deficit, based on expenses of $4.39 million.

Revenue from property taxes, licenses, fines and other sources totaled $4 337 million.

The city received almost half of its income from property taxes, which totaled $1.6 million for 1974-75.

Its biggest expense was public safety, which includes police and firemen and required $1.6 million.

The city also spent $795,000 on general departmental government, $835,100 for public works and $773,240 on parks and recreation.

A complete breakdown of the figures will appear in the legal notices section of today's Times.

Valley historians initiate drive to save Murray school

DUBLIN — With the fate of the old Murray Schoolhouse hanging in the balance, local historical and special interest groups have begun a campaign to pressure the state Department of Transportation (CalTrans) into taking steps to preserve the 119-year-old structure.

Perched in the path of the I-580 widening project, the building is to be auctioned Oct. 8 and must be moved from the site by Nov. 30, according to CalTrans Senior Transportation Engineer Don Miller.

The recently formed Dublin Historical preservation Association (DHPA), however, wants the state to continue the auction until adequate arrangements for moving — including both site and financial commitments for relocation — are made.

The group last week petitioned the Alameda County Board of Supervisors to ask the State Historical Resrouces Commission to designate the schoolhouse a "point of historical interest" and to ask CalTrans to accept responsibility for relocation to a new site.

The commission, however, will not meet until November.

"Time is our worst enemy." DHPA spokesman Neil Miller (no relation to the CalTrans engineer) said.

Advocates of preserving the building speak of a similar relocation in Marin County where the Dixie Schoolhouse, circa 1856, was moved from the path of freeway expansion to a nearby existing school site.

CalTrans spokesmen quickly point out major difference between the two, however.

"Quite frankly, we (CalTrans) own the building and the site," Don Miller said.

Owners of the Murray Schoolhouse, last used as the Primitive Baptist Church, were given the option of selling directly to CalTrans or finding a suitable site and having the state move the building.

The owners chose the former leaving CalTrans the legal owner of the property.

Those in charge of Marin's Dixie Schoolhouse project opted to have the state move the building for them, according to CalTran's Miller.

"If we moved it to a new site and gave it to a historical group, we'd in fact be paying for it twice," he said.

"We cannot now, after closing the deal, go and acquire other lands.

"CalTrans is happy to see people looking for a site and we're encouraged by the board of supervisors endorsing that cause. We'll do everything in our power to preserve that structure until a place can be found for its preservation," he added.

Steps were taken earlier at both state and federal levels to have the building listed on the National Register of Historical Sites, a move that would have made federal funds availagb available.

The building failed to qualify, however, because it had been moved from its original site north of I-580, turned into a church (a change in its historical purpose) and physically modified.

According to CalTrans' Miller, proponents face three problems: acquisition of the building itself, land and moving.

CalTrans is the legal owner of the building and land, just as any individual might own his or her home and land. As a state agency, however, it cannot donate or give away the property.

It may sell to a public agency — Alameda County, Valley Community Services District (VCSD), or a municipality — through a direct sale at "fair market value."

Private buyers, including non-profit historical groups, must buy through a public auction, and the buyer, according to Miller, must move the building by Nov. 30.

While all formal roads seem blocked, the supervisors' Tuesday resolution to the State Historical Resources Commission may start turning the wheels that save the Murray Schoolhouse.

DHPA spokesman Neil Miller said negotiations with private land holders near the Donlon Road site of Old St. Raymond's Church and the Dublin Cemetery have begun and that land may be available by mid-October.

The supervisors' resolution — as well as conversations with Sacramento based CalTrans officials — may postpone the Oct. 8 auction date, he added.

/If proponents procure the building and come up with a new site, moving costs present the only obstacle.

Buildings erected in those days are "very well constructed," according to a CalTrans spokesman, and can take the move, but the costs — moving expenses, a new foundation, utility disconnections and reconnections — can be prohibitive.

CalTrans' Miller insists "some step must be inserted" to preclude the Oct. 8 auction. But proponents must offer a "specific plan" that will allow contractors to proceed with the freeway widening.

He hints only in saying, "At this time the state has to say the buyer must move the building."

— by Ron Rodriguez

Council to hear relocation woes

LIVERMORE — Some of the headaches suffered by the city public works department with the railroad relocation project surface in a report elaborating on specific claims filed by the contractor.

The report was prepared by Public Works Director Dan Lee at the request of Mayor Archer Futch and will be reviewed at the city council meeting Monday night.

Claims filed by the contractor, Hensel Phelps Construction Company, and rejected by the city — although still in dispute — include payment for asphaltic concrete on a square foot rather than ton basis; payment for extra field welds on rail work, and reimbursement of $62,000 for increased costs of rail materials.

Lee noted the claims are normal in a contract the scope of the grade separation project.

Another matter in negotiation between the city and the contractor is the specification that 10 per cent of all monies due Hensel Phelps be retained until at least 50 per cent of the job is completed.

The latest report shows the project is 61 per cent complete.

After 50 per cent of the job is completed it is discretionary as to whether the full 10 per cent of all monies is retained or reduced to a smaller amount, Lee explained.

He suggested the contract retention be reduced to 7½ per cent "in recognition of the contractor's present efforts to open the underpasses at an early date."

If the contractor meets the underpasses opening date of Dec. 1, the retention could be reduced to 5 per cent, Lee recommended.

"The contractor has informed the staff that the reduction of retention incentive will not affect his schedule since other factors such as weather are governing factors," Lee stated in his report to the council.

Citizens' grumbling and rumbling apparently have been heard at City Hall in recent weeks over the railroad relocation project and whether the underpasses at No. P Street and No. Livermore Avenue indeed will be open by Dec. 1.

As a result, city officials are organizing a press tour of the project to illustrate to reporters — and thereby to newspaper readers — that the project is approaching its December opening of the underpasses.

LAFCO eyes Livermore's boundaries

Alameda County Bureau

Local Agency Formation Commissioners (LAFCO) will consider staff recommendations on the Livermore sphere of influence when they convene at Thursday's 3 p.m. meeting in the county public works building, 399 Elmhurst St., Hayward.

LAFCO's sphere of influence issued earlier this year eliminated the Las Positas Valley -- proposed home of Danville developer Harlan Geldermann's New Town — from the city sphere.

Livermore city officials erupted against the decision, claiming it gave the board of supervisors control over the undeveloped area and opened the door for Geldermann.

The city filed suit against LAFCO to expunge the order, while more than 100 residents left within Livermore's sphere complicated the matter by petitioning to be removed from the political area.

In responding to the petition, commissioners agreed to reopen hearings and ordered staff to come up with alternative plans.

According to the commission's current timetable, hearings will open Nov. 6 followed by an environmental impact report in January, more hearings in February and a new sphere by April.

Amador Valley teachers evaluate bargaining bill

Collective bargaining, its advantages, pitfalls and just exactly what it provides for, will be spelled out by the leadership of the Amador Valley Secondary Educators Association in the weeks to come, according to Jim Carroll, AVSEA president.

A collective bargaining bill was recently signed into law by Gov. Edmund Brown, Jr. and Carroll has stated that the initial objective of the AVSEA board will be to inform the membership.

"Once we've informed the membership in the district we'll commence preparation of a more formal salary and benefits package for presentation (to the administration) next spring," Carroll said.

Teachers in the Amador district received an initial salary raise of 4.5 per cent which since has gone to 6.5 with the influx of SB 220 monies. Carroll said Friday the final percentage hike should reach 6.9 per cent, the additional four-tenths coming from additional funds available in the ending balance — over what was expected.

Carroll reiterated that AVSEA's goal for the year is to involve more members of the community in district affairs.

A social studies teacher at Dublin High School, Carroll noted that citizen involvement was absolutely necessary in order to improve communications.

Residents to review city plan

PLEASANTON — An informational meeting for Angela Street and Harris Acres residents will be held tomorrow night to further explain the design and possible ramifications of the proposed redevelopment.

Conducted by city staff, this will be the first public meeting concerning redevelopment since the Chamber of Commerce refused to endorse the plan Sept. 23.

Problem kid? Try this:

LIVERMORE — Parents and teachers of school-age children with learning problems are invited to register for an informal series of lectures and workshops on "Interactions with the Problem Child."

The course stresses communication skills, child motivation and parental responsibility and will be taught by Mrs. Janet Fink, learning consultant and special education teacher on leave from the Pittsburgh Child Guidance Center and now associated with the Livermore Unified School District as a home teacher.

The new class begins Monday, Sept. 22, and continues through Dec. 8. Registration is underway at the Livermore Adult Education Office, 3044 East Ave. (tel. 447-4503.)

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Valley obituaries

Francis Heras

Funeral services were held Saturday for Francis Heras, 39, a former Lawrence Livermore Laboratory employe who died Thursday of cancer.

A native of New Jersey, he was a 12-year Livermore resident and most recently worked at the Stanford Research Institute. He also had taught business courses at Chabot College.

Survivors include his wife, Ann, sons Gregory and David and daughters Laura and Linda, all of Livermore. He also leaves his parents-in-law, Walter and Mary Pender, Livermore; parents Frank and Isabel Heras and brothers J. Robert and James Heras, all of New Jersey, and sisters Gloria Johnson, New Jersey, Elizabeth A. Dooley, New York, Marie Ellis, New Mexico, and Elenita Holliday, San Diego.

He also leaves nine nephews, two nieces, two godchildren and many friends.

The family has requested contributions in lieu of flowers be made to the U.S. Department of Forrestry for the replantation of the Sierras. Contributions may be made to the "Francis G. Heras Memorial Fund," 1065 Arlington Rd., Livermore, 94550.

Robert Landry

Robert Joseph Landry, 41, a native of Massachusetts and six year Livermore resident, died Wednesday in Kaiser Hospital, Hayward.

He was a World War II Air Force veteran and had been employed by Pacific Gas and Electric Co.

Survivors include his wife, JoAnn, of Livermore, and four children: Stephen, Livermore; Desiree, Oakland; and Robert and Michelle, both of St. Louis, Mo.

He also leaves his mother, Mrs. Beatrice Martin of Massachussets; sisters Donna and Valerie Martin, both of Colorado; and brothers Richard and Wilfred, both of Colorado, and Norman of Massachusetts.

Private inurnment was held Thursday at Livermore's Roselawn Cemetery.

Local arrangements are under the direction of Livermore Mortuary.

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Forum urges SRV vote on cityhood

DANVILLE — The Valley Action Forum wants the question of cityhood for the communities of the San Ramon Valley put to a vote.

Although the organization didn't give its approval to specific incorporation details Wednesday night, members agreed unanimously the matter should be put on the November, 1976, ballot.

Don Sledge, chairman of the Taxpayers for Local Control Through Incorporation (TLC), updated the forum on progress being made to get a hearing before the Local Agency Formation Commission.

The group of about 30 had discussed the issue at its meeting last month after listening to Sledge, but took no action.

It was the forum that started the move to incorporate Danville, Alamo and San Ramon.

TLC is separate from the forum although some of the forum members are helping with the incorporation drive.

In other matters, the forum heard a presentation from a representative of Save Mt. Diablo on its efforts to increase the size of Mt. Diablo State Park.

The forum also heard from a member of the Preserve Area Ridgelands Committee about the movement to have a system of trails link Mt. Diablo and the hills surrounding it with hills in Alameda and Santa Clara counties.

Congressman Fortney Stark has introduced lgislation to make federal funds available to acquire land for a ridgeland preserve in the hill areas of Contra Costa, Alameda and Santa Clara counties.



Open for business

The Wells School Student Store had its first day of business last week as an eighth grade class under the direction of Bob Ventimiglio put the project together. The store is located at the back of the school and will be open before school and during the lunch hour. The students will man the store, check the inventory, re-order materials and do the bookkeeping. Eventually they hope to expand the inventory to include more than the paper, pens, pencils and t-shirts now in stock.

Flea market slated by playground group

PLEASANTON — The Loma Alta Playground Action Committee is sponsoring a "Supermeadows LAPAC Flea Market" on Saturday, Oct. 18 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Scene of the flea market will be behind Fairlands School, 4151 W. Las Posita Blvd.

Purpose of the event is to raise money to build a children's play area in Pleasanton Meadows.

Persons wishing to have booths at the flea market should contact either Jacquie Oliverius, 462-2643, or Sue Twomey, 846-9280.



Lawrence Lab's hot water heater

This pond, designed by the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory, is being tested in New Mexico as a way to heat water using the sun, rather than costly fuel. The water is heated to 140 degrees for use by a uranium processing plant, which has contracted for the research by LLL. The plan, owned by Sohio Petroleum Co., may begin using the system on a large scale next year.

Navy seaman

Navy Seaman Ronnie M. Hunter of 455 North K St. in Livermore, was graduated from Basic Radioman School at the Naval Training Center in San Diego.

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SRV game to end on new city name

DANVILLE — A decision on what to call the proposed city that encompasses Danville, Alamo and San Ramon is expected soon.

Over 85 suggestions have been sent to the committee that will select the name before the San Ramon Valley incorporation proposal goes before the Local Agency Formation Commission.

The formation commission will be the first hurdle to cross if the Taxpayers for Local Control through Incorporation are to place the cityhood matter on the November 1976 ballot.

A formation commission hearing is expected in November on the matter.

To give people ideas for a name for the sprawling city, the Committee to Select a Name has compiled a short history of the San Ramon Valley.

The committee members want to pick a name that has some historical significance for the area.

The San Ramon Valley was first visited by Jose Amador sometime before 1830 when the area was inhabited by Juchyunes, Acalanes and Carquinez Indians, said committee member Dana Moraga.

"Amador's unofficial title is 'Father of Dublin and San Ramon,'" she added.

However, Amador was not the first white man to see the valley, the committee discovered. Early in 1772 two Spanish explorers viewed the valley from the top of Mt. Diablo, Mrs. Morgan said.

Originally, Mt. Diablo was known as Kah Woo Koom, which meant mountain of laughter, she said. Bret Harte also explained legends concerning the mountain's names in a short story, "A Legend of Montes del Diablo," Mrs. Morgan said.

In 1915 Robert Burgess bought some land on Mt. Diablo and rebuilt the mountain roads that had fallen into disrepair and built a tollcrossing, the committee discovered.

By 1921 the state legislature made Mt. Diablo a state park.

In 1928 Standard Oil constructed a beacon at the top of the mountain which was activated by Charles Lindbergh at the site and by the voice of President Herbert Hoover, she said.

Down in the valley, Alamo had the first post office in the area, and the first orchard was planted on the David Glass ranch, Mrs. Morgan said.

The first school in the San Ramon Valley was built in 1854 near the Alamo Cemetery, and the first church, Cumberland Presbyterian, was also started about that time.

By 1854, Alamo had two stores, and in 1858 the Alamo Hotel was constructed.

Well - known California bandits Juaquin Murietta and Jose Vasques were also known to rendezvous in the Alamo area, Mrs. Morgan said.

Danville was founded about 1850 and and was the site of the first political meeting in the county, she said. Also, the first high school in the valley, San Ramon, was constructed in Danville in 1910.

Cityhood group behind schedule in ballot drive

By CATHY TALLYN
Times Staff Writer

DANVILLE — Cityhood proponents are still shooting for a November hearing before the Local Agency Formation Commission although they're running behind schedule.

The Taxpayers for Local Control through Incorporation (TLC) are waiting for information from the state and county needed for the commission hearing.

However, TLC is sure of the boundaries it wants for the proposed city.

The proposed boundaries include Danville, Alamo, San Ramon and the Blackhawk Ranch development outside of Diablo.

Members of the TLC steering committee have met with Blackhawk officials and explained Blackhawk will be included.

Plans call for 4,200 units to be developed on the Blackhawk Ranch over a period of years.

TLC hopes to place the matter of incorporation on the November 1976 ballot.

If residents approve this fourth incorporation try for the valley, they would have a council-manager form of government if the TLC task force recommendation is followed.

Another possibility being looked into is an elected mayor form of government.

Most of the people present at Monday night's meeting of TLC voted for the council-manager form of government.

SR youth arrested in hit and run

SAN RAMON — A 17-year-old youth was booked on suspicion of felony drunken driving and hit and run after a three-minute car spree in San Ramon.

Seven autos were involved in the incident.

California Highway Patrol officers said the youth, not identified because of his age, rear-ended one car at an intersection at San Ramon Boulevard and Greenbrook Drive, causing it to strike a second car, and the second car to strike a third.

Police said the youth's car then raced down San Ramon Boulevard and sideswiped two cars, continued to the intersection of Crow Canyon Road, ran a red light and struck another vehicle broadside.

The car careened out of control and struck another auto stopped at a red light. One of those cars hit a power pole.

Two women were taken to Kaiser Hospital, treated and released.

Police said the juvenile was taken to Contra Costa County Juvenile Hall.

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Bicentennial tour of homes

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Pink and white exterior draws comment



The pink and white edifice on the corner of Neal and Second is the home of Christine and Brian Bourg of Pleasanton. Built in 1872 the home will be part of the Heritage House Tour Sunday, Oct 5, from noon to 5 p.m.

By LILLY AULT

A newly-formed interest, appreciation and collection of antiques led Brian and Christine Bourg of Pleasanton into looking for an older home to help complement their American Victorian furniture.

The Bourgs live at the corner of Neal and Second Street in the home often referred to as the "pink and white" house. "There are many strong opinions on the color of the house," the Bourgs stated. "We are constantly asked if we are going to paint the house," said Brian. People's opinion is strong either for or against it. "There is no in between," Christine added. The Bourgs will be painting sometime in the future, but what color and when has not been decided.

The Bourg residence will be one of five homes included in the Heritage House Tour being sponsored by the Pleasanton Bicentennial Committee on Oct. 5 from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Christine and Brian who are not new residents to Pleasanton, however, have been living in this home for only one and a half years. "We were living in one of the new homes here," said Christine, "but our furniture just didn't fit into the type of atmosphere created in a newer home. We would get comments that the furniture and home were nice but, well — they just didn't go together."

"We would take bide rides or drive by and say,' That's the house we want'," admit the Bourgs who had admired the old edifice long before they bought it.

The real estate handling the sale of the property knew the Bourgs were interested in buying an older home so immediately called them. From there, they were able to obtain what they consider "their dream house."

The Bourgs feel older homes are one of a kind, have their individual character and personality, and a charm new homes seem to lack. In renovating the home, however, they are making some changes. Much of the remodeling was performed by the previous owners, the Meeds, who are now living in Livermore on a ranch in an older home and refurbishing that house.

The Bourgs' touch of reconstructing will be to give the two bedrooms, formal living room, family room, kitchen, dining area, attic and basement, the look of "oldness."

The tub in the bathroom has been replaced with an Early American tub featuring old fashioned brass legs and pipe shower. Brian and Christine, unable to locate an old cabinet for the bathroom, checked a 1902 Sears catalogue. Brian then designed and built a cabinet copying a picture in the catalogue.

Future plans of the Bourgs for their hertiage home include the addition of a bedroom and bathroom up in the attic, and possibly a fireplace in the living room.

As far as the Bourgs have been able to determine, the house was built in 1872. In 1910 a bathroom and bedroom were added and in 1911 a laundry room and half bath became a part of the front of the house. An open porch was converted into a enclosed dining area in the early Twenties.

In the basement of the home, a redwood floor approximately 75 years old had to be torn up by Brian, because a loan on the home could not be approved with wood touching the ground. He cemented the basement floor and used the old redwood to panel the walls. His wife enjoys a sewing room in the basement while Brian has an office and workshop.

The Bourgs feel one of the nicest things about the home is the view from their front window of the historic Presbyterian Church, especially at Christmas.

"We have our own picture postcard out the window with the church steeple all lit, particularly in the winter," said Christine, "When the leaves of the tree are off we get a beautiful view of the top of the church." An added attraction at the Bourgs home for the tourist will be colored pictures of the home before renovation which the Bourgs hope to have on display.

Both Brian and Christine are school teachers. Christine is with the Pleasanton Elementary School District and Brian teaches at California High School in San Ramon.

Other homes featured in this tour will be those of the James Hackers on Third Street; The Fred Kirschbaums on Neal Street; the David Halls on Second Street and the Beuford Halls on Neal Street.

Further questions about the tour may be directed to Marty Wadekamper at 846-4995.

life style

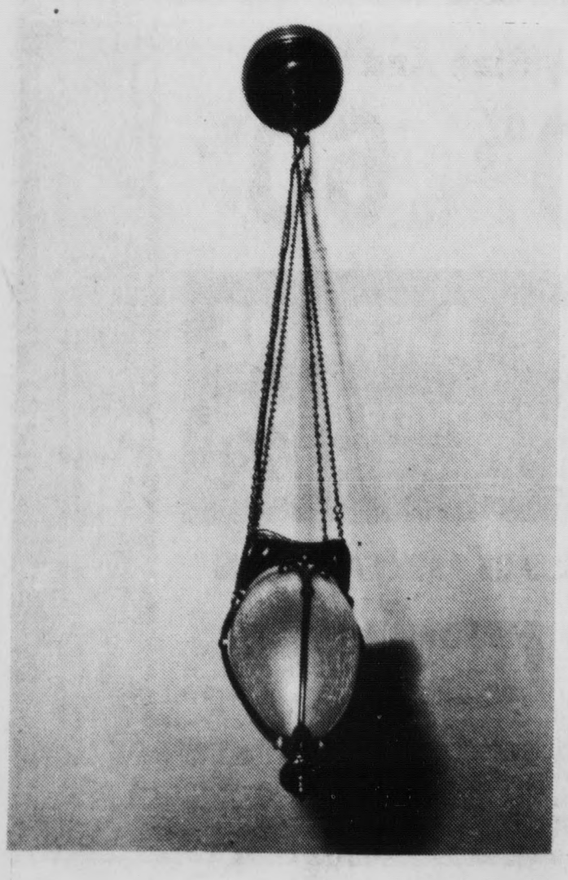


The front bay windows of the Bourg home complement their charming and elegant American Victorian furniture.





A 1916 piano (picture above), once a prized possession of Brian's great-aunt, is part of the extensive Bourg antique collection. At right, an enclosed porch, now a dining area, awaits the addition of a hanging lamp made by Christine. Below, a crackly tear drop lamp in the front bedroom is a collector's item of the early Twenties.



Tickets are limited!

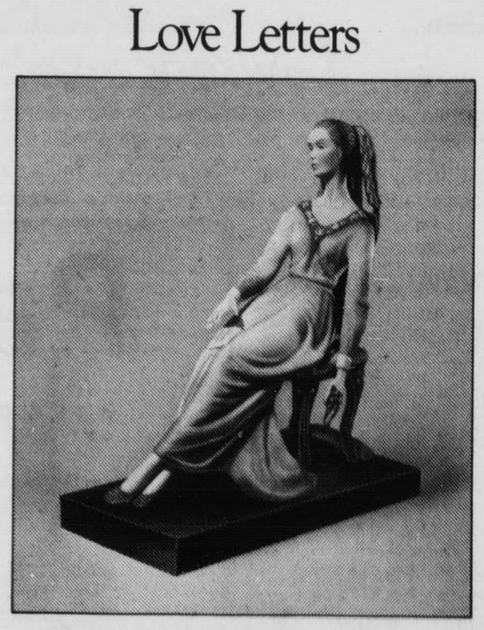
If you're planning to take the Heritage House Tour Sunday, Oct. 5, the Pleasanton Bicentennial Committee suggests you obtain tickets as soon as possible, as the number is limited.

Tickets for adults only are $5 per person, or $2.50 for senior citizens. Cost of the ticket is a tax-deductible donation.

Tickets are sold at the Pleasanton Recreation Department office on Bernal Avenue; the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce; the Gingham Corner; Caboose Antiques; and the Sage Book Store. Or mail a check to the Pleasanton Bicentennial Committee, P.O. Box 252, Pleasanton.

Included with tickets are detailed tour instructions and a map. During tour hours the Pleasanton Rainbow Girls will serve light refreshments at Wayside Park for patrons.

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Pleasanton man's odyssey

He's searching for lost Atlantis

There is no doubt in my mind that the city of Knossos and its palace is Atlantis.

Proof is everywhere.

Nicias P. Reckas bent over his notes in his room at the Plaka Hotel, Athens, Greece.

A warm breeze stirred the thin sheets of air-mail paper on which he was writing his report to The Times about his search for the storied lost continent of Atlantis.

The white-haired Pleasanton man, a semi-retired fabric salesman, had left his comfortable Toriga Drive home three weeks earlier to spend the fall climbing over rugged Mediterranean islands. He's still in Greece, taking slides, making notes, talking with archaeologists and assembling his case to prove legendary Atlantis was actually ancient Crete.

It's not an original theory. Several archaeologists have drawn the connection between the rich and powerful Minoan Empire on the island of Crete, which was suddenly and unexplainably wiped out, and "Atlantis."

It's hard to prove scientifically some 3,500 years later, but the theory is that a tremendous volcanic eruption in the Mediterranean created a huge tidal wave which literally swept the surrounding islands and coastlines clean.

One victim of this catastrophe, so the theory goes, was the kingdom of Crete with its widespread trade system, advanced architecture and road-building, sophisticated art and far-reaching power.

Descriptions of Crete match descriptions of legendary Atlantis with its beautiful, intelligent people and advanced way of life. And the sudden end to the Minoan civilization coincides with stories of Atlantis sinking to a watery grave.

There is no doubt but the culprit for this destruction was gigantic and 'greater than an atomic blast,' the eruption of the volcano at Thera or (as it is now called) Santorini.

That's the conclusion of Reckas, after seeing the ruins for himself and speaking with local archaeologists. The Pleasanton man was born in Sparta, Greece, and although he was brought to California as a child, he still speaks fluent Greek.

He describes a visit to Knossos, once capital of the Minoan kingdom:

...I sought facts and indications of the destruction of this city of Knossos by the tidal wave caused by the eruption at Thera (Santorini.)

In one location one can still see how the huge colonnades of the piers at Knossos were picked up like mere toothpicks and deposited 500 feet high on a side of a hill. There are no other stones there.

With my donkey and guide I climbed the hills high above the city and palace of Knossos. There, one can distinguish the high mark of the tide. The seashells have been encrusted in the soft but hardening sandy limestone.

My guide, aged with the philosophy and simple but rational understanding of a peasant, pointed to the barren hills and said:

"The sea once covered all these hills and for a few hours everything — people, houses, animals, trees — were dragged into the sea.

"That's why Crete has no trees. The island was washed clean."

Traveling around Crete involved all-day donkey treks along hair-raising ledges on the craggy, sunburned island.

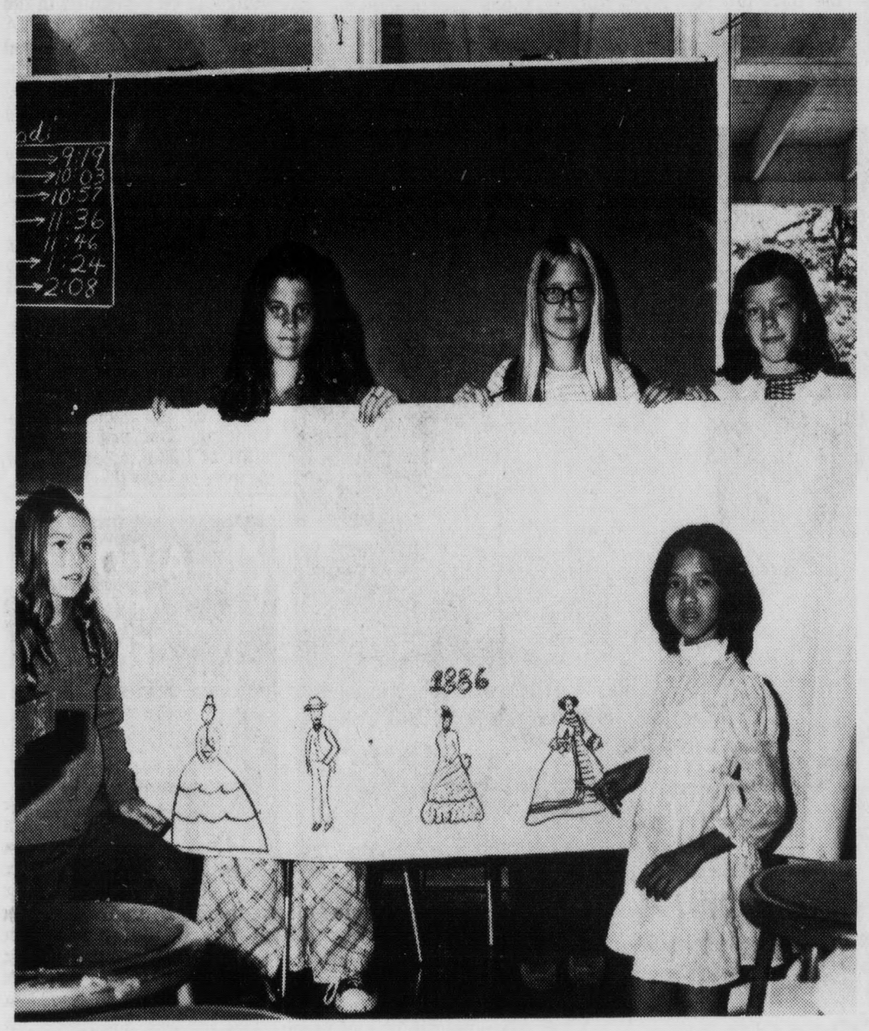
It's been a rough trip for Reckas, who plans to give slide lectures on his trip when he returns home.

But the enthusiastic adventurer is ready for the second stage of his journey, he says:

"Now for Santorini!" — by Pat Kennedy



Exploring Crete on a donkey: Nick Reckas of Pleasanton searches for lost continent of Atlantis.



Forty murals depicting the progress of change in America will be the contribution of students at Livermore schools to Festival '75. One of the top artists is Vietnamese refuge Hang Tran (right front) who contributed to a mural on how modes of dress have changed in 200 years of American history along with classmates Nancy Honour, Linda Mallone, Vicki Otter and Donna Craft of East Avenue School.

Seventh graders prepare 'Festival '75' mural-

Seventh graders in Jim Nash's Art I class at the East Avenue School in Livermore are thoroughly enmeshed in the theme of the upcoming Festival '75 — Two Hundred Years of Art in America.

Since the First day of school Mr. Nash divided his eager class of blooming artists into groups which would attempt to capture on paper all the different modes of living in America and what could happen in 200 years.

Sketching on separate wide sheets of butcher paper, the class hopes to combine the pieces to form one giant mural for the enjoyment of festival-goers.

One panel will show how the modes of dress have changed since the the founding of our country. One panel shows the dramatic changes transportation has taken and still another, the development of sports.

The group doing the food panel seemed to be working from 1975 back, because all that could be seen were banana splits, cokes and hamburgers. One group of boys is outlining a large map of the United States showing the sites of the national parks and monuments on one of the more comprehensive panels.

According to Paula Alm, co-chairman of this multi-media project, Festival '75 sponsors are very pleased with the response of this particular art exhibit.

Close to 40 murals representing twelve schools throughout the Livermore School District will be on display at the presbyterian Church during the Festival '75 weekend, Oct. 4 and 5. Besides Mr. Nash's class representation in poster art, there will be murals done in collage, stitchery and another noteworthy on one in mosaic tile.

Mr. Robert Hansen's fifth and sixth grade class from Rincon School has completed a mural with the theme of our Nation's 200th birthday all done with broken tiles.

All entrants will receive ribbons of participation.

Air command

Sergeant Fred N. Flores, son of Mrs. Dick Norway of 2252 Goldcrest Circle in Pleasanton, has graduated from the Strategic Air Command's Fifteenth Air Force Noncommissioned Officer Leadership School at March AFB.

Flores is a 1972 graduate of Amador High School.

Scholastic test registration open

Junior class students at Foothill High School may register now for the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test set for Saturday, Oct. 25.

Students wishing to take the test should register with Audrey Aune in the career center at Foothill. The test is set for 4:30 p.m. on Oct. 25 in Room B-36. A charge of $3 will be required.

The tests will give students the experience of taking a test like the College Board Entrance Examination. It also helps the school predict how a student might perform on SAT.

The test must be taken as a qualification step for consideration for a National Merit Scholarship.

PSAT tests will also be given at Dublin High School and Amador Valley High School.

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VMH faces test to be accredited

LIVERMORE — Valley Memorial Hospital is facing another accreditation survey, but this time they're going to be ready for it.

VMH did not have its accreditation renewed last fall as had routinely been expected, because of a number of shortcomings, reportedly mostly minor and in the area of medical records, not patient service.

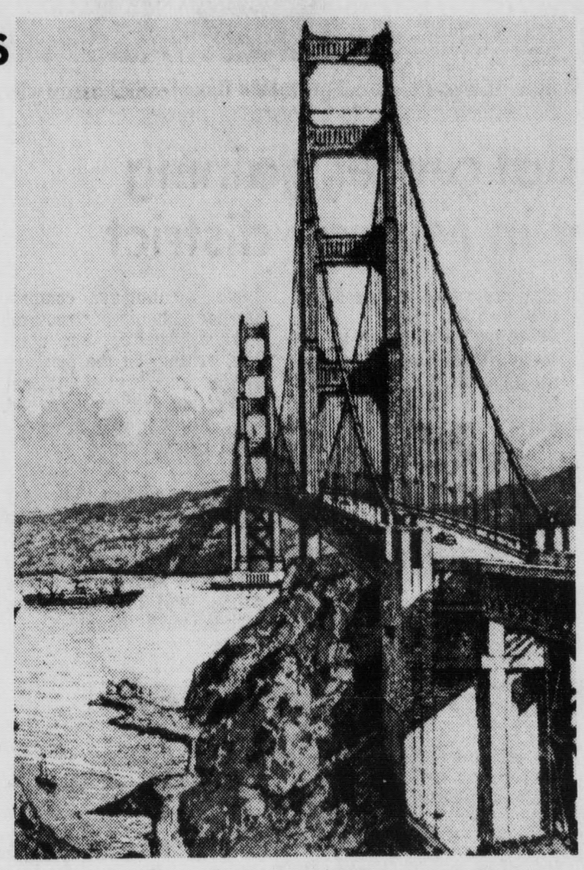
VMH officials went to Chicago, headquarters of the national Joint Commission on Accreditation, to appeal the decision. Although an accreditation survey is purely voluntary, and paid for by the institution, a hospital is not eligible to collect certain government funds if it is not accredited.

After a long wait, Valley Memorial administrator Tom Andrews was notified in April that the hospital's accreditation had been retained. This summer, when assistant administrator Bob Tollefson resigned, Andrews replaced him with a man who had worked on accreditation surveying teams: Larry Freeman, formerly with the California Medical Association.

Freeman has been going over the local hospital with the same form surveyors will use Oct. 17, when they spend two days looking very closely at VMH.

There still isn't a doctor sitting on the VMH board of directors, as surveyors had insisted there should be. The board's by-laws are now undergoing change so one of the seats will eventually go to a member of the medical staff. Currently, all nine directors are chosen from among the 4,000 members of the VMH corporation, who have contributed money to build the hospital.

Freeman told the board Thursday night that the hospital also falls short, once again, in not having directors in "three or four" departments including anesthesiology and respiratory therapy. Appointing directors provides guidance for the department, Freeman explained.



Golden Gate

Austrian artist Josef Eidenberger's color etching of the San Francisco Golden Gate Bridge will be one of more than a hundred of his etchings featured at a champagne and gallery reception at Proctor's, 2196 First St., from 2 to 5 p.m. this afternoon. Eidenberger, 75, will be on hand to meet interested art patrons this afternoon only but his collection will remain at Proctor's for the following two weeks. The public is invited to the reception, which is hosted by Mr. and Mrs. David Galas, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Proctor and Dr. Paul Eilser, the counsul of Austria.

Adult education offers course in note taking

Amador Adult Education now has a course underway called note-taking which will enable the student to develop a writing facility with which to take notes rapidly and easily.

This new course is offered Tuesday nights from 7 to 10 p.m. at Amador Valley High School. Teacher is Mrs. Pat Barney.

The course is complete in itself and is all that will be required to give the student the ability to take rapid and efficient notes.

For further information on the class and all Amador Adult Education classes, call Mike Connolly, adult ed director, at 462-5500 Monday through Friday.

So, what's new?

Eleven babies have been born at area hospitals in the last two weeks.

Those born at John Muir Memorial included an eight-pound boy to Thomas and Phyllis Dobbs, 241 Dexter Place, San Ramon, on Sept. 11

An eight-pound, 12-ounce boy was born Sept. 14 to David and Susan LeOnard, 2778 Camino Venadillo, San Ramon.

tThree babies were born Sept 17 at Valley Memorial.

They included a son born to Fred aNd Cindy Smith, 7235 Prince Dr., Dublin; a daughter to Glen and Connie Gibson, 323 Adelle St., Livermore, and a son to Roman and Ludmilla Komunytsky, 169 Arvada Court, San Ramon.

Michael and Ruth Mueller, 5965 Crestmont Ave., Livermore, became the parents of a baby girl on Sept. 18. A son was born on that day to Rodrick and Barbara Boyd, 639 Pelican Court, Livermore.

Michael and Linda Cunningham, 3788 Rocky Mountain Court, Pleasanton, became parents of a daughter on Sept. 19. A son was born Sept. 19 to Ronald and Shirley Lopez, 3767 Vineyard Ave., Apt. 48, Pleasanton.

On Sept. 20, Steve and Barbara Fensler, 9694 Ashby Way, San Ramon, became parents of a boy. A girl was born to Scott and Susan Cross, 4218 Graham St., pleasanton, on that day.

Ft. Gordon

Army Private Kenneth E. Enos, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Enos of 249 Kilkare Road in Sunol, completed the Telecommunications Center specialist course for defense special security systems at Ft. Gordon, Ga.

Enos is a 1975 grauduate of Amador High School.

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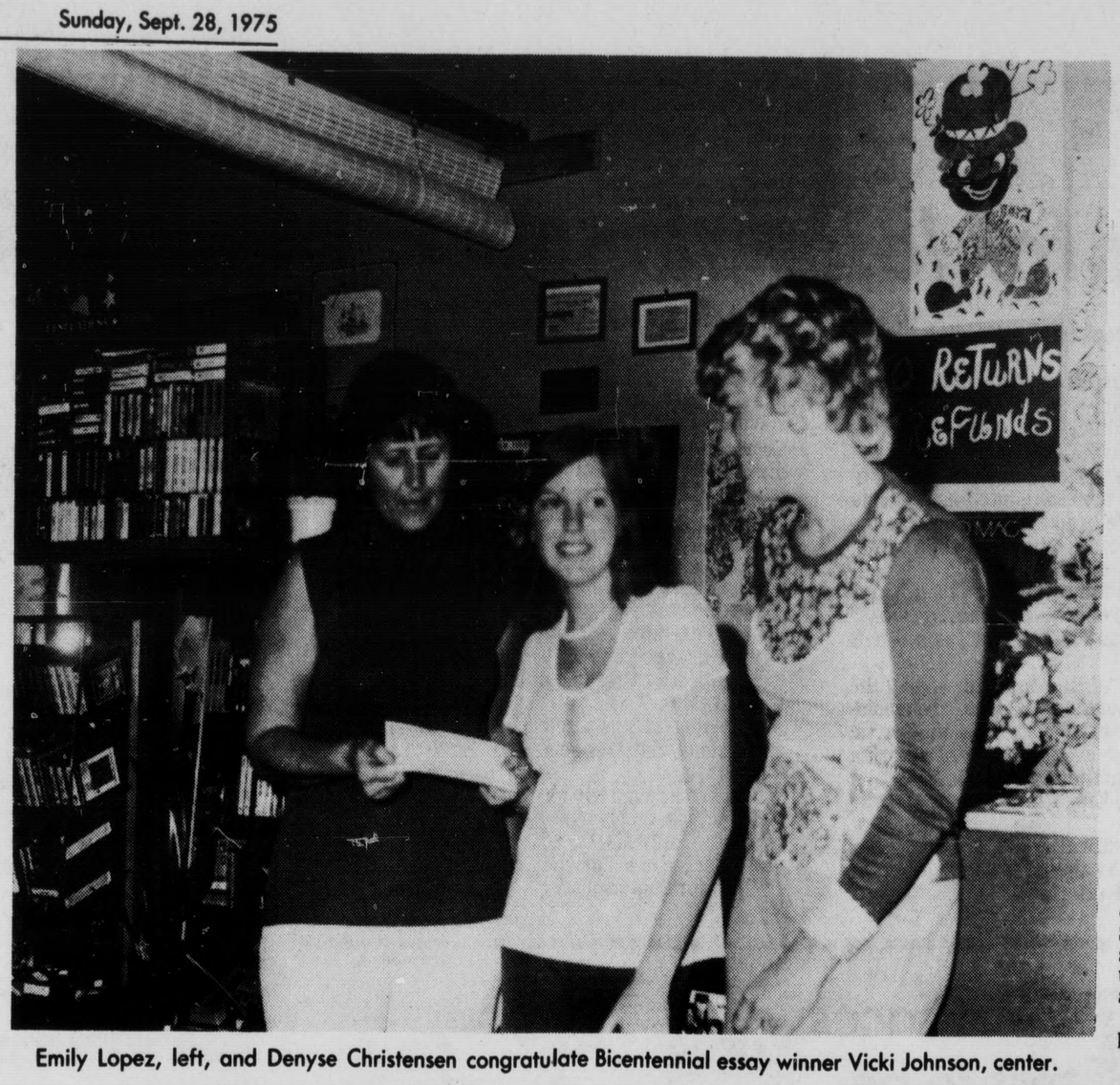
The journal of an immigrant grandfather, a family history, the autobiography of a mother — all priceless treasures to pass on. Anyone can make such a gift to the future by writing now of life past and present.

The class is open to adults of all ages in the community and will help each student to plan and work on an individual writing project dealing with family or personal history of any kind. Classes are informal, with the instructor suggesting ways of planning and writing the project, and the class discussing problems and various methods of writing.

Each week, students who wish to may read selections they have written during the week.

The class is free and open to anyone 18 years or older. Class meets on Tuesdays from 10-11:50 a.m. at the Senior Citizens' Center at 8th and H Streets in Livermore.

For more information, call the Valley campus at 455-5300, ext. 33.



Emily Lopez, left, and Denyse Christensen congratulate Bicentennial essay winner Vicki Johnson, center.

Harvest Park girl wins Bicentennial essay test

PLEASANTON — Vicki Johnson, an eighth grade student at Harvest Park School, is the first weekly winner in the Bicentennial essay contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with Pleasanton and Amador district schools.

Weekly winners in each of three divisions, grades K-5, 6-8 and 9-12, are eligible to win $5 merchandise gifts from area merchants.

Vicki was awarded a gift certificate by Emily Lopez of Sounds of Sherry on Main Street. Her winning essay was entitled "What The Bicentennial Means to Me."

Winners of the second week's contest will be announced Monday. Grand prize winners will be selected from the weekly division winners and be eligible to receive $25 bonds.

Miss Johnson stated, in part, that "200 years ago people were dying because there were no cures for the many epidemics (polio, diptheria, etc.). Now we are saving lives every day with the highly technical instruments that we have developed and learned to use through the progress we have made over the past 200 years.

People have also changed since then, we have changed with the times in clothing styles, manners, education, also our ideas of life have changed with the times.

"The bicentennial also means the year that we gained our independence from the British. We had many battles for freedom, such as the Battle at Lexington, the Boston Tea Party and Paul Revere's famous ride to warn us about the British and finally the event when the Declaration of Independence was signed.

"We have gone through so very much since then, we've gone through wars, depressions. We have gone through some happy times growing with our country."

Monte Vista High schedules Back-to-School night Oct 22

DANVILLE — October 22 marks another noteworthy date for Monte Vista High School parents, students and staff for that is the day when the Back-to-School night will again be held.

Last year, a record 1,404 persons signed in for the visitation held on the campus and the results seemed to be highly productive, according to many in attendance.

Plans are progressing so that this year's event may be even better than the past. Many departments are planning their presentations with the parents' need for information in mind. All parents are invited to attend.

The initial part of the evening will be a meeting in the theatre where a short PTA meeting will be held, followed by the introduction of teachers new to Monte Vista and directions for the evening's program.

Special plans are underway by the music department, the art teachers, and the combined boys' and girls' physical education departments which have inaugurated a unique new program of coed activities in that area.

Parents are advised to park in either the large lot located between the road and the athletic fields, or the new lot located by the social studies building. The program will start at 7:30 p.m. and should be over no later that 9:30 p.m.

Audio-visual center gaining popularity in Murray district

The Murray School Language Center — with its audio-visual materials, games, exercises, books and creative writing facilities — is becoming one of the most popular spots in the school.

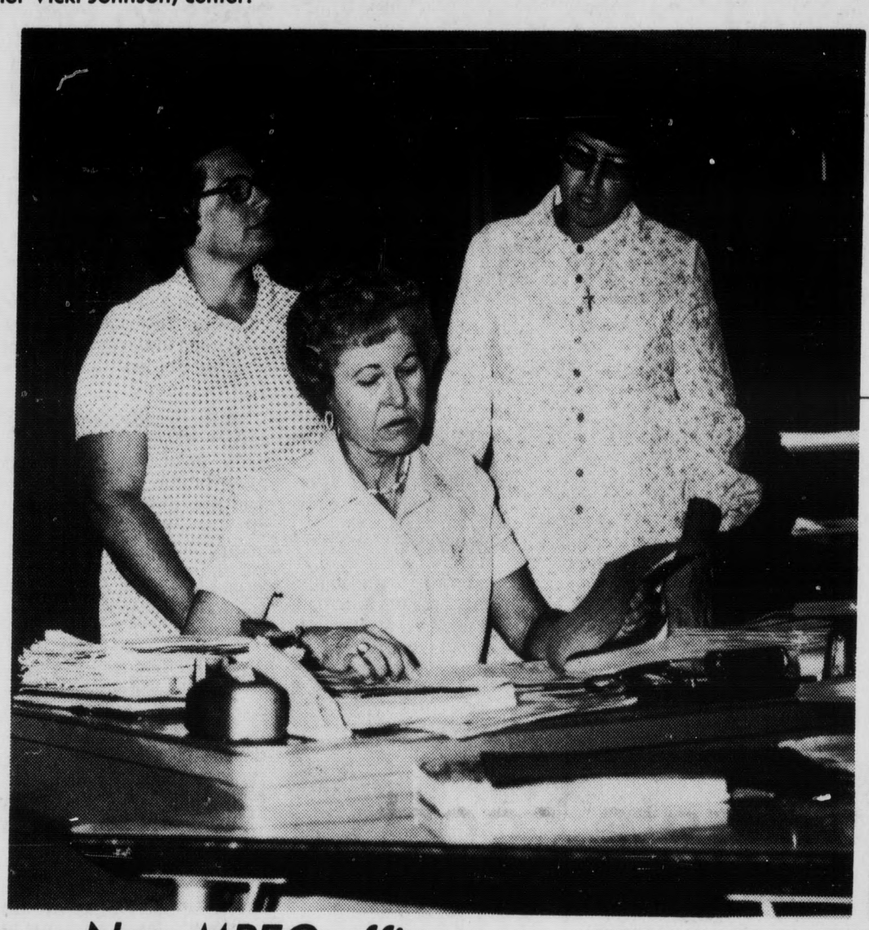
One reason is that the weekly trip to the Language Center is a pleasant break from classroom routine for the students, but of equal importance is the learning that goes on.

All students — regardless of level — benefit from special programs designed for their ability. Many "middle-range" students never get such special programs and the opportunity to participate in such multi-media programs is welcome.

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Other curriculum areas include vocabulary, comprehension, phonics, structural analysis, spelling and creative writing. In the primary grades auditory and visual perception, oral language and social and motor development are reinforced.

A book contest this year will feature a Bicentennial Birthday Cake with "candles" representing books read and summarized. The winner will be the student with the most "candles".



Golden 4-H plans meet on programs

PLEASANTON — Golden 4-H Club will meet Monday, Oct. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at Walnut Grove School multipurpose room. Boys and girls, ages nine to 15 are welcome to join 4-H.

Officers for the year are: Sherry Houis, president; Ron Francies, vice president; Julie Waldron, recording secretary; Robbe Spicka, corresponding secretary; Steve Walker, treasurer and Kim Hefner, reporter.

Recreation leaders are Ranoe Spicka, Laura Krause, Connie Lord and Sharie White.

October activities include: choosing new projects, display for National 4-H week, roller skating party; junior leaders weekend at Los Posades 4-H Camp.

Mrs. Diane Larson is in charge of 4-H members who will be hostesses for the Heritage House Tour, Oct. 5th.

For further information, call Mrs. Shirley Francies, 846-3337.

'Good parents' class set

A series of workshops designed to teach people how to be good parents will begin at 7 p.m. Oct. 2 at the education center at 685 Las Positas Blvd.

The workshops, sponsored by the Livermore School District Pupil Services Division, will be led by school district psychologists and are available for parents of district students and preschoolers.

Parents will meet in six group sessions to study values, communication, child development and family relationships.

A second series at Del Valle High School, 405 Las Positas Blvd., will begin at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 20. Parents will discuss family relationships and parent-child growth.

The final workshop series will be Oct. 22 at 1:15 p.m. at Del Valley High School. Parents who are interested in attending any of the sessions should contact the district's psychological services at 447-9500, ext. 271.

The sessions are free.

Auto shop class gains contribution

A plea for car parts from John Reading's auto shop class at Foothill High School brought a donation of carburetor starters, alternator cores and other engine parts from Preston Ledbetter, 2690 Park Way, Sunol, who is parts manager for Codiroli Ford and Mercury in Livermore.

Anyone who has automobile parts to donate may contact Redding at Foothill High, 462-1615.

LARPD: Take your bikini to lunch

LIVERMORE — Take a bathing suit to lunch!

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The Livermore Area Recreation and Park District public pool will be open noon to 1 p.m. weekdays for adult swimming, beginning Sept. 26. Between October and December, hours will be 11:30-1. After January, the pool will be open again if enough local people are hardy enough to want to swim.

Taking your trunks to lunch will cost $7 for a fall and winter pass, or 25 cents per session. Further information from Mike Gutierrez at LARPD headquarters, 447-7300.

Smith School asks parents to 'potluck'

LIVERMORE — Smith Elementary School may be starting a new tradition with a family mixer on "back-to-school night," Sept. 30.

A potluck dinner is planned to include students and their families meeting teachers and THEIR families.

"The Rejects," one of the state's leading barbershop quartets, will be entertaining the crowd. The PTA will provide eating utensils, beverages and dessert with families bringing salads and a main dish.

This year's PTA officers and teachers will be introduced, but party-goers are promised: No long speeches!

Livermore FFA chapter elects '75-'76 officers

LIVERMORE — Livermore Chapter of Future Farmers of America elected officers for the year 1975-76 are: Rich Hudgins, president; Rita Walker, vice president; Della Fitzgerald, treasurer; Toni Aguayo, reporter; Barbara Foreman, secretary and John Jackson, sentinal. Advisors will be the vo-agriculture teachers Jim Coelho, Ron Furtado, Bob Verbbon and John Greci.

The next FFA meeting will be called by the officers the early part of October.

For information contact either of the Vo-Ag teachers at Livermore High School, 447-3112 or Toni Aguayo, 447-6891.

New MPEG officers

New Murray Professional Educators' Group (MPEG) President Margaret Nelson (seated) looks over the roster of members as new treasurer Dorothy Maddox (left) and secretary Jackie Railton follow along. Vice President Mary Switzer was not in the picture. MPEG's membership has increased again this year, over the 50 it had last year, partly because they emphasize that teachers should never strike, according to Nelson. Their last counterproposal to the district called for a 6 per cent salary increase, ½ per cent fringe benefit increase and a ½ per cent instructional materials increase.

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Senior Eva Ortiz of Dublin takes advantage of the flu shots being offered throughout the Valley the month of Obtober.

Seniors urged to take flu shots offered by health agencies

The flu season is fast upon us and the local Health agencies are offering a series of flu shots throughout the Valley in an effort to help ward off any serious effects of the disease.

There have already been numerous cases reported and they especially urge the elderly and those persons with chronic heart-lung diseases to take advantage of the vaccines which have been so refined as to cause little unpleasant side-effects.

Locally the shots will be offered every Thursday at the Alameda County Health Department, 3730 Hopyard Rd., Room 104, Pleasanton, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. The Health Care Center at 4361 Railroad Ave., Pleasanton, will have their clinic every Thursday from 3 to 4 p.m. and every Friday from 10 a.m to 12 noon.

Special immunization clinics will be held at the Springtown Recreation Center in Livermore, Oct. 1st from one to three in the afternoon, and October 14th at St. Bartholomew's Church, 678 Enos Way, Livermore from 9 to 11 a.m.

The shots are free to those over 60 and $1.00 for anyone 18 years of age or older. Anyone under 18 must have written permission from their doctor to receive the vaccine.

The shot is not given to those allergic to chicken, eggs or chicken dander or to anyone that is pregnant.

No appointments are necessary for the above clinics, but the Oct. 2nd immunization program being carried on at the San Ramon Health Center, 9260 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon, does require an appointment. You may call 828-7711 or 829-5050.

4 valley youths sign for Navy

Four valley residents have recently enlisted into the U.S. Navy under provisions of the School Guarantee Program.

Daniel Alexander Cuellar, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Avcencio Cuellar of Diane Lane in Livermore, a 1974 graduate of Livermore High School.

Richard Vincent Marcelja, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Marcelja of Komandorski Village in Pleasanton, a graduate of Dublin High School.

Gary Allan Gayle, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Gayle of Tulip Way in Livermore, a graduate of Livermore High School.

Anthony Joseph Fink, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Izzi of Decota Court in Livermore, who attended Livermore High School prior to enlisting.

All four will enter different phases of work in the Navy after they finish courses under the School Guarantee Program.

Tennis fee rate boost approved by commission

PLEASANTON — Park and recreation commissioners Wednesday night agreed to increase tennis court fees from 25 cents to 50 cents to offset the cost of hiring someone to monitor the courts from April through September.

The fee for persons under 18 will remain at 25 cents, however.

The monitor program, which was tried for three months this year to rotate use of the courts, left the city with a deficit of $198.50.

Commissioners also decided to expand the monitor program, which operates at Amador High School on holidays and weekends from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., to include weeknights from 5 to 8.

They also decided to extend the period of playing time from one hour to 75 minutes. There was some talk of possibly extending the monitor system to the four courts at Muirwood Park when the program resumes in the spring.

The staff said that the 50-cent fee would make the monitor program self-sustaining, would allow a salary increase for the monitor — who has been paid $2.10 per hour — and would provide money to repair courts and buy additional equipment.

The city will continue to reserve four of the nine courts at Amador High School upon request from citizens.

The commissioners also reluctantly accepted a report by Dolores Bengtson, acquatic superviser, that said the city could make do with a 40-foot square swimming pool, the largest permitted by its $90,000 budget.

The city, which has a toddler pool and a 25-meter pool at the Pleasanton Acquatic Center, had hoped to build a 75-foot pool with the money.

The smaller pnol would still allow swimming classes and diving and scuba instruction, the report said, but would prohibit water polo and competitive swimming.

STAR GUIDE

If you're an astrology buff, you won't want to start your day without consulting the "Astrograph" by Bernice Bede Osol. It's in the stars.

Tuition free seminar offered for school tutors at Chabot

Chabot College will offer a non-credit tuition free seminar relating to the School Tutors for Elementary Pupils program and scheduled for those living in the Livermore, Murray and Pleasanton school districts starting Oct. 8.

The course is a general orientation seminar relating to the role of the tutor working in an elementary school. The seminar will present basic information on the psychological and sociological factors which affect the learning and motivation of children, ideas and procedures for helping children learn, and school expectations and relationships involving tutors.

Mrs. Elva Cooper will lead the seminar at the Livermore Education Center, 685 Las Positas Blvd., starting Oct.8 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. The class will be held each Wednesday from Oct. 8 to Nov. 26 and Jan. 7 to 28.

A STEP volunteer is an adult who, on a regular basis, is willing to work during school hours to develop the learning abilities of a child. Patience, understanding, respect for the child, and confidence in his learning potential make the volunteer more effective. Any adult may take the course.

The tutor will work in an area selected by the principal outside the classroom. A STEP volunteer will usually be placed in grades 1-3.

STEP, a community service program of Chabot College, initiates the course in local colleges and helps publicize it, works with the school system to place STEP tutors and helps the administration inform principals and teachers of the availability of tutors and how the program functions.

Persons interested may signup for the course at the first meeting on Oct. 8. For additional information, call 846-2092.

Realtors' post

Frank Straface, president of Valley Realty and a member of the Southern Alameda County Board of Realtors, was elected District 6 regional vice president of the California Association of Realtors.

Revolutionary transmission could boost fuel economy

The Energy and Research and Development Administration (ERDA) has awarded a $1.25 million contract to Ford Motor Company for study of an automobile transmission concept with fuel economy potential surpassing that of today's conventional standard and automatic transmissions.

The concept is known as the traction drive infinitely variable (IV) transmission. It offers the potential of improved fuel economy by optimizing engine speed for a given throttle position.

Unlike a conventional automobile transmission, the IV transmission has the capability to infinitely vary engine speed between minimum and maximum without going through discrete intermediate steps dictated by transmission gear ratios.

Under the first phase of the ERDA contract, Ford will test one version of an IV transmission to determine feasibility and durability of the system. Ford will then design an IV transmission system for a 3,500 pound vehicle with a 110-horsepower engine.

Two transmissions will be constructed for laboratory and vehicle acceptance testing during the second phase of the program.

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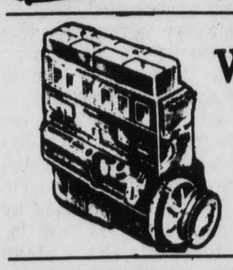
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On sports

He's under my skin

Mike Zampa

This time I'll put my foot down. She'll pursue her interests, I'll follow mine and in six months we should be on speaking terms again.

It all started Thursday, the morning after the Oakland A's clinched a fifth consecutive American League West baseball championship.

A voice from Western Union, with all the ebullience of Richard Nixon's speech teacher , telephoned to say my credentials had been confirmed for American League playoff and World Series games at the Oakland Coliseum.

This is a welcome elixir each autumn as the sports desk slowly submerges in a pink sea of little league soccer scores. I could go out and get a haircut, maybe purchase a new pair of shoes and for a few evenings at least, discover that there is life after Dublin Canyon.

Then the chilling reality settled in. She had already arranged advanced booking for us on the date game six of the Series is scheduled. Fiendishly, she even enlisted my help in scheduling the trip.

We have reservations at Lake Tahoe for the Frank Sinatra show Oct. 18. That will be the date of the sixth game, assuming the A's ascend to the World Series again, and that one team will require six games to win it.

"You wouldn't pass up Frank for that, would you?" she moans. "Do bears .... oh, never mind. Yes I would."

For the past three years I've been confronted with these great moral decisions come Series time. It's either pursue a devotion to baseball, or agree that yes, I would prefer hot meals seven nights a week

Two seasons back I passed up the seventh game of the A's and Mets to attend the Kaiser International Open golf championship. I didn't even want to see the golf. But a friend was losing his grip on a romantic relationship and asked us to make it a foursome at the tournament. He figured our presence would somehow rekindle those flickering flames.

As it turned out, the A's won on a Reggie Jackson home run, the friend lost the girl to a no-account sports writer who later threw her over to join the railroad, and I never did learn who won the golf tournament.

As if one sacrifice were not enough, I was forced to forfeit playoff passes last season for the A's-Baltimore Oriole series. She had penciled us into another Tahoe show, this one, featuring Sammy Davis Jr.

We took our "mini-vacation" with relatives. One attempted to play seven consecutive hours of Blackjack, and highlighted the evening by walking through the wrong door and vomiting at the foot of my bed.

This was at 2 a.m., and I was grief stricken.

Fortunately she was gracious enough to offer us her room, located next to the elevator shaft. High Sierra winds whip through those vertical caverns once summer passes, creating a noise not unlike a bear growling into a garbage can.

We were up all night. I slept through the radio broadcast of the playoff game next day.

In the aftermath, however, I took two positive steps. One was a resolution to never travel again with relatives, or at the least, to disdain adjoining rooms The other was to mail an American League schedule to the booking agent at Harrah's Club.

Obviously it hasn't reached his desk yet. He went and inked a pact with Old Blue Eyes.

Now Frank is a superstar, no question. As much as Reggie, or Sal Bando or Vida Blue.

But his face is swelling, his voice, thinning, and there are those of us who wish he'd quit doing it "his way."

He has this lethal spell over women that unfortunately, may last from here to eternity

To gain admittance to his Saturday night spectacular we began telephoning our toll-free reservation number at midnight a week ago. She dialed, I stretched out in bed with the receiver, listening for the busy signal. Twenty-five minutes later we made contact. She asked for a table of eight. The lady would only provide for four. But we could call again and reserve another table, she said.

At 10 minutes to one we re-established our hookup with Sinatra central. "You're lucky," the lady said "We're just about sold out."

"Wonderful," I cried, between refrains of "I've Got The World On A String."

Since that dreary night we've crystallized our plans. Six relatives are making the Sinatra crusade, including the one who gave me the shaft. I have agreed to attend if the A's win the Series in five, or lose at any step along the way.

If it comes down to game six, however, I'll remain at home. She'll leave the Burger-Buddy in the pantry along with oven-use instructions.

And do you want to know what's going to happen? Game six will be rained out, and I'll be stranded at home with 13 Sinatra L.P 's and a poster from "The Pride And The Passion."

Doobie-doobie-do

Granada rallies for win

That old addage silence is golden proved true yesterday for Granada High School's football team as they broke a scorelss tie at halftime with three second-half touchdowns and took a 20-6 victory over Ceres in Livermore.

Head Granada coach Ted Minkler told reporters after the game that he did not say a word to his team during the half. His favored Matadors got the message and went out and blew the Bulldogs of the field in the second half.

Penalties had plagued the Matadors in the first half. Granada was stuck with four 15-yarders in the first period alone. Two Granada drives were stalled inside the Ceres 20 because of 15-yard penalties.

Although Minkler did not say it, a quarterback switch he made in the second half could have had something to do with the outcome of the contest.

Starting Matador signal-caller John Walden was replaced by back-up Steve Robison and the Granada gridders started to move. The Matadors drove 40 yards in seven plays for the games first touchdown, a two-yard plunge off tackle by halfback Vance Rushing. The stocky, 185 pound back and teammate Steve Jaeger had sparked the Granada drive with some fine running.

The Matadors came back minutes later in the third period as Tim Duke picked off a Bulldog pass. He fought his way to the Ceres 15 before being dragged down.

Four plays later Jaeger plowed into the end zone from the 2. Jim Lennon kicked his second PAT and the Matadors ldd 14-0.

Ceres made a substantial drive of its own following the kickoff, driving to the Granada 31 from their own 33. However, tight pass defense by the Matadors forced three straight pass incompletions and Granada took over.

Granada's last touchdown of the game came in the middle of the last quarter when Jaeger scored on another two-yard run. Lennon missed the PAT but the game was in the bag as Granada held a 20-0 lead.

Ceres scored its only touchdown with 53 seconds left in the contest. Quarterback Chris Combs hit end Rick Birdsong with a 21-yard pass over the middle on a third-and-eight situation. The PAT attempt was blocked by a swarm of Matadors. The score culiminated a 59-yard drive for the Bulldogs.

Granada's running attack piled up 166 yards as Jaeger, Rushing and Robison ran well to the outside against a Bulldog defense which was geared to stop the inside run.

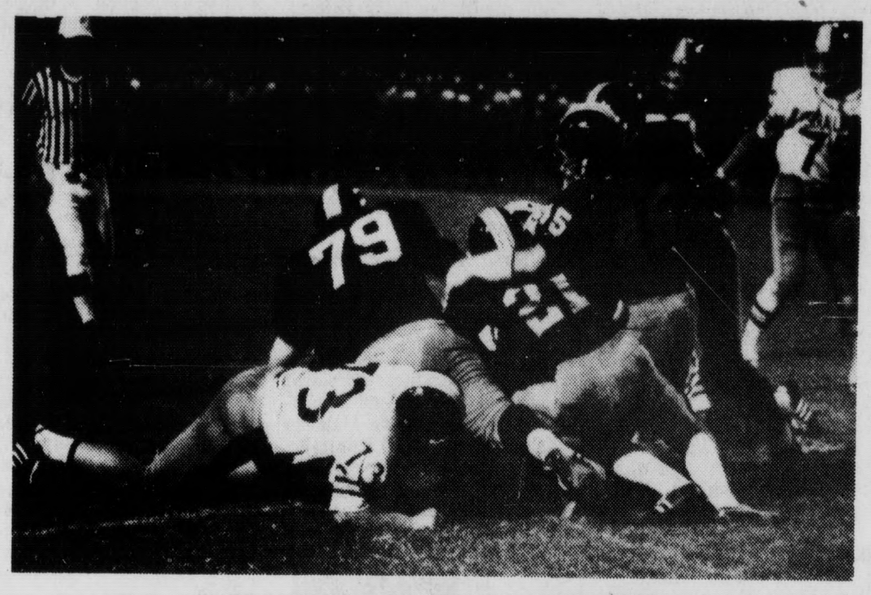
Granada's pass defense stood out as it intercepted three Bulldog passes and made several other tough plays. Both teams fumbled twice.

Granada's junior varsity continued its undefeated ways with a 21-6 victory over Ceres.

—Gary Brown

	Ceres	Granada
Total first downs	9	15
Net yards rushing	70	166
Net yards passing	68	26
Total offense	135	192
Passes att-com	16-7	9-2
Passes had intercp.	3	1
Fumbles-lost	1	7-52
Penalties-yds	5-35	7-85
Punts-ave	4.28	2.35
Offensive plays	48	58
Score by quarters:		
Granada	0 0 14 6	20
Ceres	0 0 0 6	6

Scoring plays:
Gran—Rushing, two run, Lennon — PAT kick
Gran—Jaeger, two run, Lennon — PAT kick
Fran—Jaeger, two run — kick failed
Ceres—Birdsong, 21 pass from Combs — kick failed



LIVERMORE PLAYERS PILE ON TERRA LINDA
Wade Andrade (79) and Ken Nunes (21) in action last night

Cowboys lose, 6-0 as offense fails

Livermore High School dropped a 6-0 non-conference football decision to visiting Terra Linda Friday, and now Cowboy coach Ron Berg is off in search of his offense.

It sputtered, and finally died in the fourth quarter of Livermore's bitterest defeat yet.

For the first time this year, the Cowboys were in position to win a football game. That's what made the loss so difficult to accept. The offense bungled four scoring opportunities, three in the final five minutes.

As a result, Livermore is 0-3, and grasping blindly for silver linings.

"There's just not much to say," offered Berg, far more disappointed than after either of his first two defeats. Those were by a composite total of nearly 50 points.

"The defense did a helluva job. It made a big improvement over the first two games. I just can't believe our offense would bog down like that."

The creaky Cowboys gained 138-yards against Terra Linda's well-coached defense, and just 49 yards in the second half.

Meanwhile, the defense played its finest game of the season, limiting the Trojans to 172 yards, and a second quarter touchdown.

Because it played so well, Livermore was afforded excellent opportunities to win in the final period. Unfortunately the Cowboys couldn't reverse an entire night of offensive frustration.

With 5:19 left in the game, they failed to complete a fourth-and-one pass at Terra Linda's 25-yard line.

At the 3:20 mark, quarterback Rich Palmer threw an interception on the Trojan five-yard line. Finally, with 1:09 left, another Palmer pass was picked off, this one at the 20.

Terra Linda, which tried valiantly to give the game away on a fumble and interception in those frantic final minutes, scored the only touchdown with 1:48 left in the first half.

It was set up when quarterback Mike Kirby lofted a 32-yard pass to Neil McClure at Livermore's one. McClure, 6-0, 160, came back for the ball and out-leaped a Livermore defender to make the catch.

On the next play tailback Tom Murphy popped in for the six points.

Kirby completed 10 of 22 passes for 118 yards, good totals against a strong rush. He was trapped behind the line of scrimmage three times attempting to pass, twice by tackle Pete Howard, once by linebacker John Jackson.

Meanwhile, Wade Andrade, the other Livermore tackle, was blunting Terra Linda's rushing attack. In all, the Trojans managed just 52 yards on the ground.

"Our defensive kids have got a lot of guts," Berg praised. They played their bleeps off.

But what can you say? I thought our offensive line would punch them out, and they got beat. We're going to be a good team, but we can't put everything together."

Livermore had one scoring opportunity in the first half, but Charlie Bockover missed wide left on a 33-yard field goal effort.

Palmer suffered another poor throwing night, connecting on just 3-of-10. He was harrassed, however, by Terra Linda's Paul Rayford, 5-11, 175, and Paul Johnson, 6-0, 170.

The Cowboy's senior quarterback broke an exhilarating 6[illegible] yard run in the second quarter, which preceded Bockover's abortive kick.

Palmer also punted for a 37.4 average on eight kicks. He knocked a 39-yarder out of bounds at Terra Linda's one yard line.

— Mike Zampa

	T.L.	LIV
Total first downs	9	6
Net yards rushing	52	138
Net yards passing	120	−4
Total offense	172	134
Passes att-com	23-11	10-3
Passes had intercp.	2	2
Fumbles-lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-yds	7-72	4-34
Punts-ave	7-42.4	8-37.4
Offensive plays	57	58
Score by quarters:		
Terra Linda	0 6 0 0	6
Livermore	0 0 0 0	0

Scoring plays:
TL: Murphy, one run; Kick failed

Mistakes kill Gaels as Westmont wins

A butterfingered squadron of Dublin High School Gaels were routed by an invading contingent of Warriors for the second consecutive time Friday night, this time from the Santa Clara Valley's Westmont High school who scored a not too easy 20-0 victory.

The victory was not as one sided as the score might indicate with Dublin in the game and with what looked like a good chance of pulling out a win until the middle of the fourth quarter when Mike Roach, a six foot, 175 pound flanker made a circus catch of Warrior Quarterback Ben Skarmas 45 yard pass for the score which gave Westmont a 12-0 lead.

Until that score it appeared that if the slippery fingered Dublin gridders could find a handle on the ball they had every right to expect to walk away with the game.

Four fumbles and an intercepted pass were the story of the game to that point with each team managing to rip off occasional large gains but unable to find each other's goal line.

Jim Boulware and John Batchlalor, the Gael Running backs, appeared able to find daylight and run at will during the first quarter but the Gaels always found a way to either give up the ball or have a play go awry which stopped them short of the goal line.

Then a Dublin fumble in the second quarter put the Warriors in position to pick up a first down on the Dublin 27.

At that point Skarmas found Roach all alone in the end zone and the Warriors had their first six points.

Skarmas followed that effort with his 45 yard toss to Roach in the fourth quarter which virtually put the game on ice against a Dublin team which appeared to be rapidly losing moral.

The last Westmont score came on the only sustained drive by either team of the night, Erik Stark and Jeff Van Amburg found running room behind the excellant blocking of Mike Donohue, a six-two, 235 pound Warrior tackle and with a ten yard Skarmas pass to Rocky Pena thrown in, put the ball on the Gael eight.

From there Skarmas found Pena alone in the left flat and passed for an easy touchdown.

Skarmas, the Warrior quarterback, threaded the needle with almost every pass and his prime receiver, Roach, was exceptional.

Roach caught the 45 yard toss with three Gael players climbing all over him, but rose above then and caught the ball at the goal in a manner reminiscent of R.C. Owen's Alley-oop receptions for the San Francisco 49ers in another era.

Probably the duel between Donohue and Dublin's huge tackle, Mike Sperber, a 6'5", 270 pound offensive tackle.

For much of the game Sperber, playing opposite Donhue, had managed to contain the big and quick Warrior tackle.

On the final drive Donohue showed up on the opposite side of the line from Sperber and Van Amburg and Stark found huge areas of daylight.

Despite the defeat Dublin appeared vastly improved over their showing against Mission San Jose with Harvey Trump, Ron Loder and Chris Downing coming through with excellent defensive efforts.

Boulware was outstanding on a couple of runs from scrimmage and following pass receptions but does not yet appear to know how to hang onto the football.

By Walt Hecox

Cal wins 13-8

California High School won its first ever varsity football game with a thrilling 13-8 victory over Mesa Verde of Orangevale late yesterday afternoon in Sacramento County.

The Grizzlies scored in the second period on a four-yard run by Ted Young which ended a 61 yard drive in 14 plays. California scored again in the second period on a 22-yard pass from Tom Woodmansee to Jeff Jones. Mesa Verde scored its only touchdown on a seven-yard run by Walt Yocom in the third period. Glenn Allen scored the two-point conversion on a run.

California meets East Bay Athletic League favorite Granada at 1 p.m. Saturday in Livermore. The Grizzlies play Mesa Verde again at 1 p.m. Nov. 8 in San Ramon.

Spartans top Cards

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) — There was, perhaps, a bright side to Stanford's 36-34 loss Saturday to underdog San Jose State.

The last time the neighboring Spartans beat the Pacific-8 Cardinals, by a 13-12 score in 1971, Stanford went on to beat Michigan in the Rose Bowl.

But no one in the Stanford dressing room brought that up Saturday.

"I definitely feel San Jose State should be in the rankings someplace," said Stanford coach Jack Christiansen, whose team was ranked 18th on the strength of a tie with powerful Michigan a week earlier but fell to 0-2-1 with the loss to San Jose.

"I don't think the final score was indicative of the game. San Jose dominated it most of the time," he added. The Spartans, 3-0, built a 30-7 lead at halftime and held on to win despite Stanford's fast finish.

"We tried not to be too conservative," said Spartan coach Darryl Rogers, but he admitted the final score was too close for comfort.

Guy Benjamin, who replaced Stanford quarterback Mike Cordova, in the second half, threw two touchdown passes to Tony Hill in the final two minutes.

But Christiansen said, "Cordova is still our starting quarterback."

The Cardinals will be home against Army next Saturday and Christiansen said, "If the starting quarterback continues to play like he did today, there may have to be a change."

Benjamin completed 14 of 22 passes for 142 yards, after Cordova completed just six of 16 for 62 yards in the first half which was so embarrassing for the Cardinals.

Stanford's first two games were against Penn State and Michigan.

MV beats Falcons with scoring spurt

High school football games last 48 minutes in playing time, but Friday night's Monte Vista-Foothill game was decided in less than three minutes as the host Mustangs rolled to a 34-0 victory over the young Falcons in Danville.

The fireworks started with 2.28 left in the second quarter. Monte Vista running back Mark Vantine culiminated a 34-yard drive with a one-yard plunge to give the Mustangs a 6-0 lead.

Little did it matter that the Mustangs missed the extra point attempt. They hit the scoreboard again less than two minutes later after Scott Moye recovered a Foothill fumble on the Falcon 29. Quarterback Greg Goodman, who had his best night of the season, then hit split end Steve Jones with a 29-yard pass over the middle for the touchdown. Tracy Phren added the PAT kick for a 13-0 Monte Vista lead at the half.

Jones opened the second half with a bang for the Mustangs. He intercepted a Rick Henderson pass 42 seconds into the third period and raced 33 yards to paydirt. The extra point was no good and Monte Vista led 19-0.

Jones scored his third and final touchdown of the game with 3.19 left in the third period as he grabed a Foothill punt and raced 55 yards down the sidelines behind a wall of blockers. Phren added his second PAT kick of the game to give the Mustangs a 26-0 lead.

The remainder of the third period and most of the fourth quarter saw neither team mount a substantial drive.

However, with under five minutes left in the contest. Monte Vista took a Foothill punt and marched 59 yards to paydirt. The big play in the drive came on a fake punt and run to the Foothill 38. From there Monte Vista scored in five plays, culiminated by Goodman's 22-yard dash for the score. Halfback Steve Burke scored the two-point conversion to end the night's scoring.

Besides Jones' heroics, Goodman also provided a spark for the winners. He hit on six of 11 passes for 110 yards and one touchdown besides his 22-yard scoring run. The Mustangs rolled up 215 yards total offense, 111 passing and 104 on the ground. Most of the rushing yardage came from Vantine, and Bill Fowler. Foothill's inability to generate a passing attack contributed to its downfall as the Falcons failed to complete a pass. They picked up 78 yards rushing, mostly on inside plays off tackle.

Monte Vista coach Jim Nelson felt the "big plays" were mainly responsible for the Mustangs victory. "We executed better tonight, he said. "However, our long scoring plays, particularly those by Jones, sparked the victory."

Nelson admitted the Mustangs did not try to run inside against the rugged Foothill linebackers. "We ran the triple option well and passed a lot. That's what it took to win the game."

— Gary Brown

	Foot	MV
Total first downs	4	9
Net yards rushing	78	104
Net yards passing	0	111
Total offense	78	215
Passes att-com	0-4	5-9
Passes had intercp.	1	1
Fumbles-lost	3-3	1-1
Penalties-yds	1-5	3-35
Punts-ave	5-27.5	2-34
Offensive plays	50	56
Score by quarters:		
Monte Vista	0 13 13 8	34
Foothill	0 0 0 0	0

Scoring plays:
MVV—Van Tine, one-yard run — kick failed
MV—Jones, 29-yard pass from Goodman Phren — PAT kick
MV—Jones, 33-yard pass interception — kick failed
MV—Jones, 55-yard punt return, Phren — PAT kick
MV—Goodman, 22-yard run, Burke pass from Goodman

Cougar rally tops Cats

The Cougars came up with three goals in the second half to withstand a Wildcat charge, 4-3, in Livermore Soccer Club under-16 action.

Mike McCreary had two goals. Joe Louie and Rick Sandoval scored the others. Dave Ridgewell had five saves while playing just a portion of the second half.

David Gildea, Mike Dalrymple and Bill Malinofsky scored for the Wildcats.

The Tigers bounced the Jaguars, 4-1, thanks to fine defense by Jack Lanto, Phil Autio and Joe DeLaRosa. Randy Bonner scored twice. Tim Huff and Steve Dayton had goals.

Tony Johnsen scored all four goals in the Panthers' 4-2 rout of the Pumas. Steve Devoto contributed eight saves. Brad Holsworth and Ray Lee played fine defense. For the Pumas, Scott Silva and Mick Moul scored.

under-14

Pat Nadeau's 10 saves were crucial as the Tornadoes blew down the Squires, 3-2. Marty DeBrum, Kris White and Kenny Buerke scored. Raul Winder and Tom Gemetti had Squire scores. Randy Johnson provided 11 saves.

Thanks to the defense of Robert Repchinuck, the Jet Streams downed the Sharks, 2-1 Ricky Larder and Mike Mathat scored. David Sayers had the Shark score.

The Thunderbolts' Bob Baird had 11 saves in a 2-0 whitewash of the Inferno. Bob Ward and Jeff Jessup scored. Loser Pat Morgan had 17 saves.

Doug Frauenholz and Dave Thomas of the Hurricanes combined for 13 saves in a 3-1 win over the Whirlwinds. Steve Fallon had two goals, Norman Takemori, one. David Pawek scored for the losers.

Jet defense tops in easy victory

Holding the Swensens Rams to minus 12 yards offense, the Saturn Airway Jets took a 22-0 victory yesterday in Pleasanton Junior Football action.

The lightweight game saw David Maslana spark the Jets attack with two touchdowns on runs of 23 and 24 yards. Dave Gottschalk had a scoring run of nine yards and made three two-point conversions. The Jets rolled up 229 yards total offense. Scott Reynolds, Jim Ellis and Mike Risso played outstanding defense for the winners. Kevin McKohn, Craig Lyons and Nick Flemming stood out for the Rams.

In another lightweight contest the Chargers dumped Amador Sports and Hobby 49ers 38-6. Jack Edney and Bob Cruz each had two touchdowns for the winners.

Keith Edney had two two-point conversions for the winners. Mike Medden threw a 55-yard touchdown pass to Dale Nelson for the 49ers' only score.

In heavyweight competition, the Buttes Gas and Oil Jets remained undefeated with a 20-12 victory over the Rams. Keith Didio had scoring runs of four and seven yards for the winners. Dave White also had a touchdown for the Jets. Scott Henderson had two two-point conversions and threw a 80-yard touchdown pass to Phil Shark for the winners' final score.

The Rams were paced by Mark Wilson with touchdowns of 23 yards by run and a 49-yard bomb from quarterback John Re. The Ram defense was paced by West Barnes with 18 tackles.

In another lightweight contest the Firefighter Raiders rolled over the Dolphins 38-0. Mark Sisneroz led the winners with two touchdowns, one a 70-yard run. John Bird added a 30-yard touchdown run and Pat Walls had a touchdown and three extra points. Jeff Wallace, Eric Hoffstetter and Gene Gianotti all starred on defense.

Times Sports

MIKE ZAMPA, editor

San Ramon explodes to trounce Kennedy

Be warned — the Wolves are back.

Fred Houston's San Ramon Wolves emerged from just over a year's hibernation to annihilate the John F. Kennedy Titans, 40-0, Friday night behind the pinpoint passing of quarterbacks Steve Ellis and John Arnaudon.

The hapless Titans were stymied on offense and baffled on defense as San Ramon recorded a most impressive first win of the season. San Ramon, on the other hand, might have scored even more if a few first-half passes had not dribbled through the hands of wide receivers.

Consequently Ellis, who played the first half at quarterback, could only put 13 points on the scoreboard — six on two field goals by Mike Bowles. He did find Mike Mahrhenke for a 21-yard scoring pass in the second quarter, but the real fireworks awaited in the second half.

Arnaudon tossed three TD passes — one to Mahrhenke, one to Pat McChristy and one to Paul Fisch — and had another bomb to Mahrhenke called back. He also bulled over from the one-yard-line as the Wolves put 27 points on the board in the last 24 minutes.

Houston hasn't lost his thirst for touchdowns. especially after a 4-4-1 record last year, as he had junior quarterback Arnaudon throwing the ball with 1:48 to go and a slim 33-0 lead on the board.

Bowles rushed for 62 yards on the ground, McChristy for 61 and Fisch picked up 47 in only two tries as the Wolves gained 213 yards on the ground.

Ralph Duran topped the losers with 63 yards in 12 carries but Steve Prause and Brent Garrett — the two Titan QBs — combined to hit only five of 16 passes for 56 yards.

The small but quick Wolf defense kept the Titans from getting inside the San Ramon 30 and Kennedy mounted no real threat to the Wolves' first shutout of the year.

The win brought San Ramon's record to 1-2 and Kennedy's mark is now the same.

— by Clay Kallam

	Ken	SR
Total first downs	8	15
Net yards rushing	109	213
Net yards passing	56	109
Total offense	64-165	322
Passes att-com-int	22-5-2	15-7-2
Penalties-yds	6-45	7-55

Kennedy	0	0	0	0	— 0
San Ramon	3	10	6	21	—40

SR—Bowles 33 FG.
SR—Bowles 28 FG.
SR—Mahrhenke 21 pass from Ellis. PAT—Bowles kick.
SR—Mahrhenke 7 pass from Arnaudon. PAT—kick failed.
SR—Arnaudon 1 run. PAT—Bowles kick.
SR—McChristy 26 pass from Arnaudon. PAT—Bowles kick.
SR—Fisch 9 pass from Arnaudon. PAT—Bowles kick.

Sports Briefs

YMCA offers judo

Twin Valley YMCA is offering classes in Judo and Massage weeknights in Livermore and Pleasanton.

Judo classes are held Mondays at Fairlands School, and Tuesdays at Livermore's Jackson Avenue School. Fee is $7 per month for youngsters five through 12, and $8 for everyone else.

Massage classes are held Wednesdays at the Y Building in Pleasanton.

Fee is $11 for an eight-week course.

For information, call 462-2211.

Winds win

Defending champion Cheese Factory was upset by Tail Winds, 21-17, 21-18, and 21-8, in the opening of Pleasanton Women's Volleyball last week.

Chris Hoblitzel, Karen Iverson and Sandy Eustace led the charge for the upstart Wind.

In other action, Allied Brokers took two of three games from O'Callaghan's, 21-15, and 21-16. Roseann Putt, Roseann Black and Barbara Johnson starred for the Brokers.

Swensen's took two of three from Harris Realty, behind the sets of Marilyn Mitchell. Francis and Lucy Way also played well.

Norm's Barbershop dominated its opening men's match, sweeping three from Mac's Pak. Spiker Vince Perez was outstanding, along with George Oxsen.

Osborne Realty, rode the play of Rob Montgomery, Dick Howard and Ray Koski to a three-game sweep of Rexall Drugs.

Knights

The Knights of Columbus held off a late Hayward Auto Import rally for a 9-7 Livermore Slow Pitch Softball victory last week, but never figured in a 20-7 loss to Polomoni's.

In the first contest, the Knights scored three runs in the sixth inning on RBI-singles by David Clay, pale Swadley and Larry Owen.

Then Swadley stopped the Importers in the seventh after they scored two runs, and had the tying run at the plate.

George Parker, with three hits, and two-RBI's was a key for the Knights.

Polomoni's jumped off to a 5-0 lead after an inning of its game, and was never threatened. Skip Jackson belted a three-run homer in the first inning John Rapp and Bob Logan each had four hits. Karl Fisher and John Cook had three.

Volleyball

Pleasanton Recreation Department will conduct co-recreational volleyball at Amador Valley High School girls' gymnasium Wednesday nights beginning Oct. 1.

At least two courts will be set up for men and women who play without officiating.

Fee is 25 cents per night. Play will continue until December. For information, call 846-3202, ext. 215.

Bear game

Pleasanton Recreation Department will sponsor an excursion to the University of California vs Washington football game at Berkeley's Memorial Stadium, Saturday, Nov 8.

Tickets to the game are free, but transportation fee is $1.75 per youth.

Boys and girls ages 8-15 are eligible. Departure time is 11:30 a.m., and return time is 5:30 p.m. Boarding site is Amador Community Park, 4455, Black Ave.

Information and permission slips are available at the rec department. Pleasanton schools will also be provided permission slips.

6-5 pick tops field

SAN MATEO, Calif. (AP) — Happy Randy, a 6-5 favorite, widened his lead in the midstretch and won the six-furlong, $21,600 San Bruno Stakes by 2¼ lengths Saturday at Bay Meadows.

Fernando Toro was up on Happy Randy whose time was 1:10 2-5. The winner paid $4.60, $3 and $2.80.

Time to Leave, weighted like the winner at 115 pounds, paid $3.20 and $3.20. Another three-fourths of a length back in third was King's Sea Rullah, returning $6 for show.

The victory in the field of eight 2-year-olds was worth $12,600 and made the California bred colt eligible for the $100,000 California Juvenile Stakes here Nov. 29.

HITS THREE DOUBLES

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Andy Messersmith of the Los Angeles Dodgers is one of those pitchers who loves to hit. He got his wish on April 25 against the San Francisco Giants when he lashed out three doubles to set a National League record.

Weigh-in quiet

MANILA (AP) — Muhammad Ali exhibited his showmanship, Joe Frazier fumbled his punch lines and both fighters officially weighed in Saturday for next Wednesday's heavyweight championship fight.

The weigh-in was held at the Philippine Coliseum, site of the fight, and it was pure ceremony since the fight still was about 3½ days away.

Frazier weighed in first at 215½ pounds, then the champion came in at 224½, a halfpound less than his weight when he easily outpointed Joe Bugner July 1 at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. The ceremony was subdued, by Ali standards, with very little shouting and no verbal exchanges between the fighters.

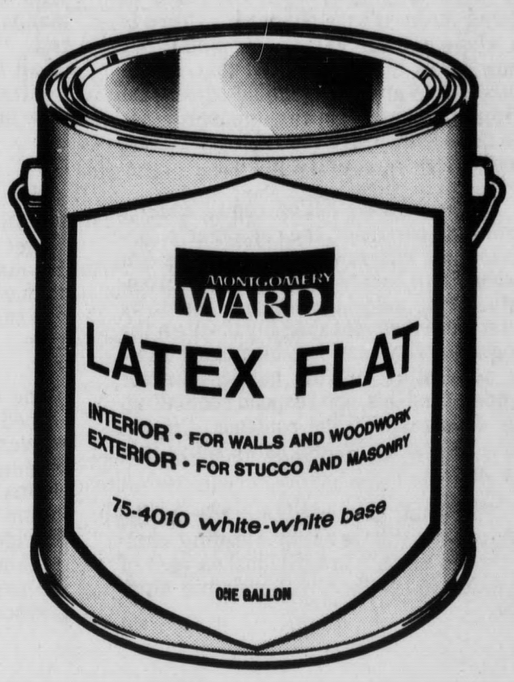
Earlier in the day, Ali had photographers falling over themselves when he appeared at his workout hand-in-hand with a beautiful black actress.

"I'll bring a girl to the gym every day if it will get me this much ink," said Ali after arriving with Jayne Kennedy, who is here with her husband for the fight.

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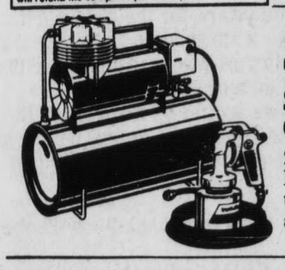
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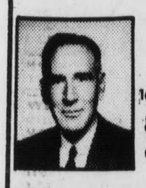
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Mori's message on 'free enterprise'

"People in business had better get the message," Assemblyman Floyd Mori told that Livermore gathering last week.

The word this one legislator is trying to share with us is that "the rules of doing business have changed ... there is a whole new ball game ... the consumer now plays a vital role." If that is not news, it is at least a candid admission from a man who now finds himself close to the scene, where the rules are made, and where the activists prevail.

These days the action comes mostly from the consumer, the consumer's lobbyist, the consumer's lawyer. The era when chambers of commerce and manufacturing associations wrote the laws that were then sent speedily through the legislative system, are long past. Mori is suggesting that the business sector understand this, and respond accordingly. It is essential, he contends, "if the free enterprise system as we know it is to survive."

The small businessman, while in the aggregate still the nation's leading commercial force, is in individual danger of getting lost in the new legislative shuffle.

The tough environmental laws passed to control General Motors deal no less stringently with the local manufacturer of car exhausts; the tight OSHA rules guaranteeing safety to the assembly line worker apply with equal force to the print shop down the street. Union demands, welfare payments, price controls, "truth in advertising" limitations ... all of these govern and restrict and frustrate the local dress shop no less than the JCPenny chain.

The answer, Mori contends, is for "small businessmen to work together, to get their own position before the law-makers." That seems like sound advice. We hope the merchant, even at this suburban level, is getting the message.

The consumer might be no less concerned that "the small town merchant" be somehow preserved in the new scheme of things. Big stores and big chains have their merits, but it is the "mom and pop" operations which often provide the vital balance to those larger systems, and thereby guarantee us all the price and the service which is the essence of good business.

"Aren't you even gonna say 'Welcome home kids'?"



Letters to the Times

Viet Children

Editor, The Times:

A recent article spotlighted the educational plight of the Vietnamese children now located in Livermore. There are a surprising number. If memory serves me, some thirty in number and most have a language barrier problem.

Our school officials are doing nothing to help and are content to wait for federal funds some three years away, if at all.

However, I believe the school volunteer program under the supervision of Mrs. Honodel would be a natural way to go. These kids need to learn more English, need somebody to practice their English on and somebody to learn our culture and heritage from.

The burden for volunteering probably will fall on our caring women in town. At the same time high school students could also be marvelous.

So call Mrs. Honodel at district office (447-9500) and tell her you'd like to see such a program organized.

Gordon S. Smith
Livermore

'New Town' push

Editor, The Times:
With some of the railroad jobs in evidence these days, it's getting easier to recognize a set of tracks when you see them. At the Board of Supervisors hearings last December on the Las Positas 'New Town', you could almost hear the whistle blow. Yet Supervisor Murphy now assures the Dublin Chamber of Commerce that the Board "did not in any way push for New Town."

The Board of Supervisors normally takes weeks or even months to hear testimony and reach a decision on major issues such as Las Positas. In this case, the matter first came to them in early December 1974. With no discussion they scheduled two more hearings for the following week (right before Christmas) and at the conclusion of the 3rd hearing voted to approve the general plan amendment with less than half an hour of discussion. In addition to affirmative votes cast by Supervisors Murphy and Cooper, the third vote necessary for approval was cast by defeated lame-duck Supervisor Robert Hannon, who would be replaced on the Board within two weeks, and the vote itself was illegal since the Board had already reached their legal limit of three General Plan Amendments in any one calendar year.

Perhaps there was so much grease on the tracks that no pushing was necessary!

Valerie Raymond
Candidate for First
Supervisorial District post

Church moving

Editor, The Times:
As members of the community and residents of Second Street, we are very distressed at the prospect that the Presbyterian Church may be relocated.

We chose Pleasanton as our home because of its character and we believe many other residents did also. Pleasanton is unique as an older city because it has retained many of its historic aspects; heritage buildings, tree lined downtown streets, and the 19th century flavor of Main Street. A drive through downtown San Jose or Hayward will easily show how a passive attitude can destroy the historic value of a town. We do not want to see this happen to Pleasanton.

There are many small parts that make up the whole of Pleasanton. When any of these parts are threatened the whole is threatened. Preserving one of Pleasanton's landmarks on its historic site seems to us to be far more important to the future of all of Pleasanton than the present problems of space and parking facing the congregation.

We feel that the Presbyterian church has found a creative solution to its problems but wouldn't it serve the best interest of all of Pleasanton to put this creativity to work to solve these problems and yet preserve the church on its historic site.

Brian & Christine Bourg
Pleasanton

Home tour invite

Editor, The Times:
Just a few short weeks ago the Pleasanton Bicentennial Heritage Committee came together to accomplish some herculean tasks in a very short period of time. Two of the tasks were; to provide a brochure for the Heritage Home Tour, and five appreciation wall plaques for the homeowners who are opening their homes to the public on the 5th of October.

Desiring something of quality the committee was blessed with some very special people who jumped on the Bicentennial Bandwagon to help make that desire a reality. Hundreds of hours of time and money were donated by Title Insurance of Pleasanton who meticulously and laboriously traced the property ownership of each home from the King of Spain to the present day owners. Western Title of Oakland added its expertise in finalizing the searches.

The information was used to compile an accurate account of each home for the brochure. The results of the title searches were then given to a very talented Pleasanton artist and calligrapher, Gale McNamara, who spent long hours transferring the information onto some lovely wall plaques. These will be presented to the homeowners as a gesture of appreciation from the Bicentennial Committee for sharing a bit of Pleasanton's private history with the public.

As always, there is a need for money. This need was generously met by Heritage Realty who financed the brochure, and Franklin Savings and Loan who donated the funds for the wall plaques. These are some of the silent workers, the more obvious being the press, who have done a super-special job of supporting the Tour, the Civic groups serving as hostesses during the Tour and the committees themselves.

I do hope the public will take advantage of this opportunity and attend. Tickets are available at the Pleasanton Recreation Department.

Callie Heinbaugh,
Chairperson,
Bicentennial Heritage Committee

The week in retrospect

Family unit & SB 395

From those same enlightened gentlemen and ladies who brought you a lessening of penalties on marijuana possession comes now a law that will make it a snap for girls to get birth control devices without any "fear" of parental interference.

What the bill (Senate Bill 395) does is permit minors to obtain contraceptives without parental consent. It was signed into law during the past week by Gov. Edmund Brown, Jr. and becomes law on Jan. 1, 1976.

Some proponents of the bill have said it finally gives girls the same rights (to obtain contraceptives) as boys have always had.

That is certainly one way of looking at the situation.

But, thankfully, not the only one.

The bill was passed in the Assembly by a 41-35 vote with Assemblyman Floyd Mori from Pleasanton being among the 35 casting a "no" vote.

It moved through the Senate with greater ease.

This writer agrees with the minority viewpoint (of those expressing opinions in the Legislature) that the bill is yet another means of tearing asunder the family unit.

We do not imply by this that female minors should be treated as second-class citizens with any less rights, opportunities or safeguards than male minors.

But is it not an eroding of parental responsibility and authority to permit such a situation.

The early teen years are ones of great physical and mental maturation where adult guidance is essential. Better the latter be a parent or family member than a non-family member or uncaring acquaintance.

I believe this bill will serve to do much more harm than good.

Specifically, it will tend to circumvent dialogue between parent and child. How much easier it will be for a conscious-stricken or angry young girl to avoid facing her parents concerning sex relations with a boy.

And visa versa.

We recall an Associated Press article of a couple weeks past that detailed alleged reasons for female minors and young women becoming pregnant.

One finding claimed that a sizable number (though far short of a majority) seemingly didn't care whether birth control devices were available or not.

Such an act of not caring is a form of rebellion directed at any form of authority. Though it may be deemed immature it can nevertheless meet with the same consequences.

What I believe is needed at this point in history is a positive recitement, demonstration and practice of the family unit.

Alienation and insensitive behavior continue to gain inroads in our society.

A bill such as SB 395 effectively sets up situations where the minor, already filled with anxiety or hostility toward the parent on the subject of sex, may simply bypass mom and dad ... and compromise his or her morals with possible life-long consequences.

The very definition of "minor" indicates something or someone small, young in years and experience.

Senate Bill 395 usurps parental authority and responsibility.

The reasoning behind the legislation is understandable but as long as it stands as a potential tool to further erosion of the family unit, this writer is vehemently opposed.

—by AL FISCHER



Sound and Fury

Walt Hecox

"A bunch of the boys were whoopin it up in the Malamute saloon.

"The kid who handles the music box was hitting a rag time tune.

"When out of the night which was fifty below and into the din and glare

"There stumbled a miner fresh from the creeks, dog dirty and loaded for bear.

"He looked like a man with one foot in the grave and hardly the strength of a louse

"Yet he pulled out his poke and poured dust on the bar and ordered drinks for the house.

"There were none could place the stranger's face, though we searched hard for a clue.

"Yet we drank to his health and the last to drink was Dangerous Dan McGrew."

With all due respect to Robert W. Service I would have been in trouble that night in the Malamute Saloon.

There is slim chance there would have been any glass lifting by this old man.

My days of wheat squeezings and orchids are about over, my friends. Chances are that had I been at the Malamute Saloon when the stranger entered I would have already imbibed my daily ration, an infinitesimal portion which is somewhat more stingy than the taste offered at formal religious events.

Dan McGrew would truly have been the last to drink. And the stranger would probably have shot me for the insult.

All of which makes me yearn for the good old days.

A man could not take a chance on insulting another laddie by refusing an offer of wheat squeezings. The option was not one any of us would relish.

Drink the booze and we would be disobeying the doctor's orders. Ignore the invitation and a laddie might develop a sudden and extremely acute case of lead poisoning.

Any sane man would take his chances on disobeying the doctor.

Tonight I will work until late with about a three hour break for dinner. Probably I will not hang up the old tape recorder until about 11 p.m.

Dublin High School is my current destination.

Each fall I return to my old haunts and become a sports writer for a couple of days.

Mike Zampa is, by all odds, the best sports editor you will find in these parts but his staff gets a little thin when eight high schools are playing eight separate football games on Friday nights. So I haul out the old tape recorder and do what, for five short and happy years, was my thing.

Until five minutes ago I did not know who the Gaels were playing.

Jim Inglesby is an old friend of mine, but the first time I heard the name Wayne Re was when I went to the Dublin High School field to see the school humiliated by the Mission San Jose Warriors a week ago.

Don Stagnaro has a name far more familiar to the man in this corner. He is the coach at Westmont, Dublin's foe for this evening.

My first question was, "Where the hell is Westmont?"

Turns out it is a school located in the west end of the Santa Clara Valley not far from Los Gatos, my old and long favored stamping ground.

Believe me, if it was not for economic considerations I would still be living in that beautiful and somewhat impractical house in the hills above Los Gatos where I free lanced for about a dozen years.

There was no Westmont in those days. Just as there was no Dublin High School. Damned little of Dublin for that matter.

Early each summer we used to travel through the San Ramon Valley to Acalanes High School where a dog show was held. Usually we stopped on the way home to get gasoline in Dublin.

The gas station and a saloon down the road a piece not far from St. Raymond's Church was about all there was of Dublin in those days. Not too distant days I might add.

There was no Dublin High School when I came to the Valley. The sports beat included Livermore, Granada and Amador High Schools. Come fall one sports editor and a stringer could handle the lot.

Things have changed.

Today there are eight high schools, including San Ramon and Monte Vista, over which the valley sports editors must watch.

Two new ones this year and where do we go from here?

God knows how many extra high schools there are in the Santa Clara Valley since I left the dreamy world of free lancing and returned to writing and editing hard news copy.

Back in the days of yore when I was trying to plug the gaps in the middle of the line for Fremont High School there were just five secondary schools in the entire valley.

Eight if you cared to count Campbell, Live Oak (in Morgan Hill) and Gilroy, none of which had football programs.

We played in a four team football league which included Fremont, Mountain View, Los Gatos and Santa Clara.

After football practice we hitchhiked the three miles from Fremont Corners on old Highway 17 and Cupertino. Walked the rest of the way home, a distance ranging from one to three miles.

Today bussing is a problem. The school must be right around the corner or the mother appears in front of the board and asks that a bus stop at her door.

Which is, I suppose, why there are eight high schools in the valley where once there were three. And, perhaps, why more kids live to adulthood.

It is also the reason why this old man must put down his black felt tipped pen and pick up a notebook. Then I must cover the Dublin-Westmont game. Wait for the daily ration of wheat squeezings until 11 p.m.

And yearn for the good old days when a man didn't dare disobey the invitation of a man like Dan McGrew or that stranger loaded for bear.

round the town

In Boston they ban the school bus, leastwise those they don't burn. In Dublin the parents got a mite shook when the bus failed to stop, to collect their offspring.

In both instances, the school board was hammered. "Stop the busing!" they screamed in Boston. "Make the bus stop at our corner!" was the battle cry in Dublin. It keeps a reporter on his toes trying to separate one campaign from the other.

Transporting students to classes has become the major issue of the decade, perhaps the whole blessed century. Whether you want more of it, or less, or none at all, the Wayward Bus is a new best seller, along parental row. Now even the kids are beginning to get the message.

"It's a long walk," says the eight-year-old next door. I count it as all of six blocks "Besides which, they took away the only short cut we had."

How do you take away a short cut? Did the principal hand down a directive? School board pass a law? Somebody build an apartment building on the vacant lot? She didn't explain. She just counts the steps. Multiply by two. New math or old, it's a long walk, says she.

We are not a nation of walkers, and that's for sure. Joggers, yes. When the feds had their eagle eye on Patty and friends, the big pinch came "as suspects were jogging down the street. Suitably attired." Not much place to hide a machine gun there.

Local church had a parking problem. Somebody suggested that paved space was available just half a block away, price was right. "Never work" said the committee. "People would never walk that far."

Even newspaper people aren't much on shanks mare. We put in this handsome parking lot at the back of our building. Striped and everything. Looked very inviting. But not to the staff. Everybody tries to park on the street, in front of the office, shutting off the customers, raising hell with the neighbors.

"Why don't you use the nice parking lot in back we provided for your use?" the staff is asked. "Too far to walk," is the answer.

I was always a walker. Blessed with long limbs. Dad used to say because "there's more of him from the waist down than there ever will be from the waist up." True. But that was only half the reason. Other was because we never owned a car. Or lived near a bus line. Streetcar used to come within three blocks of our house, but then took us only half way to school. Wasn't worth the nickel.

So we walked. Never thought to complain. Didn't know who to complain to. Two and one-half miles to grade school. Five days a week. Sometimes we'd even walk home for lunch. When the weather was right, and the track fast.

Sundays we walked to church. That was half a block further.

Finally graduated to high school. There was one-five blocks from our house. They sent me to the one on the other side of town.

If we got a ride, it was by jumping on the back of a passing truck. Winters we would grab a hitch on the back of a bread wagon, slide for blocks, until the driver turned around, or until frozen fingers would no longer hold on. If the horses came to a sudden stop, you might lose a front tooth.

When the temperature dropped to 20 degrees below freezing, with a brisk wind, mother would express some concern.

"Don't you think it's too cold for him to walk to school today?" she would ask. I would nod a violent "Yes!" My older brothers would rule otherwise. "Give him an extra pair of socks. He'll survive."

Obviously, I did. But no thanks to them. Credit the ability to keep moving. One foot after the other. Never look back. Don't cry, either. Tears feeeze on the eyelids. Make navigation that much tougher.

One Sunday we had a bone-chilling cold snap. Thirty two below, and dropping. It was also the day brother Louis was scheduled to make a command performance at church, for his confirmation rites.

"It's such a terribly cold day, I don't think Louis can make it to church unless we send him in a taxi," mother said. It was the tail end of the depression. We were flush. Had just bought an electric coffee pot. But were still without a phone.

"I'll run to the bakery on the corner and phone for a taxi," Louis immediately volunteered, and away he flew.

Twenty minutes later he was back, exhausted.

"The bakery was closed, I had to go to Graham's Store to make the call," he announced.

"But Graham's is almost a mile away," said mother. "You could have been to church by the time you ran to Graham's and back."

"I know," says Louis, "but I've never been to church in a taxi before. I just hated to miss the experience."

—by john edmands

Television Listings

Sun., Sept. 28

7:30 A.M.
2—Hour of Power
3—It Is Written
4—Josie and the Pussycats
5—Look Up and Live
7—This is the Life
10—Herald of Truth
13—Day of Discovery
40—Kenn Mann Spiritual Renewal
44—Huck and Yogi

8:00 A.M.
3—Special: Saint for America
4—Go-USA
5—Camera Three
7—What On Earth
10—Kathryn Kuhlman
13—Miss Pat's Playroom
40—Rex Humbard
44—Popeye

8:30 A.M.
2—Faith for Today
4—Git Box
5—Kid's News Conference
7—Century Theatre
10—New Directions
13—Oral Roberts
44—Three Stooges

9:00 A.M.
2—Day of Discovery
3—Notre Dame Hilites
4—Community Circle
5—NFL Championship Games
10—Conversation Junior
13—La Voz de la Raza
36—American Religious Townhall
40—Hour of Power
44—Little Rascals

9:30 A.M.
2—Oral Roberts
4—Gift of Time
5—NFL Pre-Game Show
7—Salty
10—Conversation
13—Progreso '75
36—To Be Announced
44—Flintstones

10:00 A.M.
2—Kathryn Kuhlman
3-4—On the Sidelines
5-10—Football: Vikings vs. Browns
7—Brother Buzz
36—Yoga for Health
40—Captain's Cartoons

10:30 A.M.
2—Rex Humbard
3-4—Grandstand
7—Devlin
13—Focus on Education
36—Left, Right and Center
44—Movie: "Abbott and Costello in the Navy"

11:00 A.M.
3-4—Football: Raiders vs. Colts
7—These Are the Days
13—Garner Ted Armstrong
36—Movie: "The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle"
40—Banana Splits

11:30 A.M.
2—It Is Written
7-13—Make a Wish

NOON
2—On the Square
7—College Football 1975
13—Dusty's Treehouse
40—Secret Agent
44—Movie: "To Have and Have Not"

12:30 P.M.
13—Vision On

1:00 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
5—Newspeople
7-13—Directions
10—To Be Announced
36—Movie: "The Story of Dr. Wassell"
40—Movie: "Valley of the Kings"

1:30 P.M.
2—Bilko
3—Football: Buffalo Bills vs. Steelers
5—Special: Canonization of Mother Seton
7-13—Issues and Answers
10—Celebrity Golf

2:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "One Foot in Heaven"
4—Forum
5—Movie: "Peace Is Our Profession"
7—Perspective
10—Movie: "No Time for Sergeants"
13—State Capitol
44—Movie: "Dream Wife"

2:30 P.M.
4—Speak Out
13—Urban League Presents

3:00 P.M.
4—Alma de Bronce
7—Tennis
13—Hazel
40—Movie: "Masters of the Congo Jungle"

3:30 P.M.
4—Meet the Press
7—Ali-Frazier Preview
13—Medix

4:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "The Seven Year Itch"
3—Secrets of the Deep
4—Explorers
5—Big Eddie
7—NFL Game of the Week
10—Name of the Game
13—Wild World of Animals
44—Movie: "Trapeze"

4:30 P.M.
3—Friends of Man
4—Ironside
5—Face the Nation
7—Last of the Wild
13—Merv Griffin

5:00 P.M.
3—Family Holvak
5—We Live with Elephants
7—Animal World
40—Movie: "Bandolero!"

5:30 P.M.
4-7-10—News

6:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Journey to the Center of the Earth"
3—Men of the Sea
4—Wild World of Animals
5-10—CBS News Special
7—Celebrity Sweepstakes
13—Lawrence Welk
36—Movie: "Les Miserables"
44—Wild, Wild West

6:30 P.M.
4—Wild Kingdom
7—Let's Make a Deal

7:00 P.M.
3-4—World of Disney
5—News
7-13—Swiss Family Robinson
9—World Press
10-44—Three for the Road
40—Movie: "Drums Along the Mohawk"

7:30 P.M.
5—All Together Now
9—Agronsky & Co.

8:00 P.M.
3—Wild Kingdom
4—Family Holvak
5-10—Cher
7-13—Six Million Dollar Man
9—Evening at Pops
44—Notre Dame Hilites

8:30 P.M.
2—World of Survival
3—Candid Camera
36—Don Kirshner's Rock Concert

9:00 P.M.
2—Friends of Man
3-4—McMillan and Wife
5-10—Kojak
7-13—Movie: "For Pete's Sake"
9—Masterpiece Theatre
40—Wrestling
44—Lou Gordon

9:30 P.M.
2—Changes

10:00 P.M.
2—Open Line
5-10—Bronk
9—Ascent of Man
36—It's Your Affair
40—Japan Theater

10:30 P.M.
36—Movie: "Attempt to Kill"
44—Black Renaissance

11:00 P.M.
3—Movie: "The Little Foxes"
4-5-7-10—News
9—Black Perspective
13—Mission: Impossible
40—James Robeson Presents
44—El Amanecer

11:30 P.M.
4—My Partner the Ghost
5-7—News
10—Movie: "Maneater"
13—Mission: Impossible
40—Good News

11:45 P.M.
5—Movie: "Maneater"
7—Sammy & Company
36—Left, Right and Center

MIDNIGHT
13—College Football 1975

Mon., Sept. 29

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—A.M. America
9—Yoga with Lilias
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
9—Mister Rogers
40—Dennis the Menace

9:00 A.M.
2—Big Valley
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Kathryn Crosby
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5-10—Price Is Right
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Walk a Crooked Mile"
Tues: "The Singer, Not the Song"
Wed: "Ten Little Indians"
Thurs: "Johnny O'Clock"
Fri: "A Very Private Affair"
3-4—High Rollers
5-10—Gambit
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Movies:
Mon: "The McConnell Story"
Tues: "The Gift of Love"
Wed: "Behold a Pale Horse"
Thurs: "The Young Doctors"
Fri: "Madame Bovary"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7-13—Happy Days
44—Not For Women Only

11:00 A.M.
3—Magnificent Marble Machine
4—Somerset
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Showoffs
36—Left, Right and Center
44—News Talk

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Jackpot!
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Yoga
44—New Zoo Revue

NOON
2—Courtship of Eddie's Father
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—You Don't Say
36—Movies:
Mon: "Friday Man"
Tues: "Alibi For Death"
Wed: "Railroaded"
Thurs: "Arms and the Man"
Fri: "Via Mala"
40—Dick Van Dyke
44—Leave It To Beaver

12:30 P.M.
2—That Girl
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—All My Children
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movies:
Mon: "A Lady Without A Passport"
Tues: "Neptune's Daughter"
Wed: "Accused of Murder"
Thurs: "Spoilers of the Forest"
Fri: "Terror at Midnight"

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Ironside"
Tues: "The Mummy"
Wed: "A Distant Trumpet"
Thurs: "Advise and Consent"
Fri: "Advise and Consent" Part 2
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movies:
Mon: "Beau Brummell"
Tues: "Life with Father"
Wed: "The Big Hangover"
Thurs: "The Last Time I Saw Paris"
Fri: "Butterfield 8"

1:30 P.M.
3-4—The Doctors
5-10—Edge of Night
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—Match Game
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
5-10—Tattletales
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Movies:
Mon: "The Secret Lift of Walter Mitty"
Tues: "Weekend at Dunkirk"
Wed: "Sad Sack"
Thurs: "Hole in the Head"
Fri: "Flight of the Phoenix"
4—Ironside
5—Musical Chairs
7-13—General Hospital
10—Dinah!
40—Mickey Mouse Club
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2—Batman
5—Concentration
7—Movies:
Mon: "The Pit and the Pendulum"
Tues: "The Masque of the Red Death"
Wed: To Be Announced
Thurs: "Tomb of Ligeia"
Fri: "The Oblong Box"
13—One Life to Live
36—Movies:
Mon: "Message to Garcia"
Tues: "From the Earth to the Moon"
Wed: "Through A Glass Darkly"
Thurs: "Underwater"
Fri: "Cheers for Miss Bishop"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Three Stooges

4:00 P.M.
2—Mickey Mouse Club
4—Merv Griffin
5—Dealers Choice
9—Sesame Street
10—Mike Douglas
13—Beverly Hillbillies
40—Munsters
44—Little Rascals

4:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
5—Mike Douglas
13—Gomer Pyle
40—Partridge Family
44—Flintstones

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
3—Bewitched
7—News
9—Misterogers
13—Adam-12
40—Mod Squad

5:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
3-4-7-10-13—News
9—Villa Alegre
36—Get Smart
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2-40—Star Trek
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Football: Green Bay vs. Denver
9—Villa Alegre
36—Movie: "House of Strangers"
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
9—The Other Ireland
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2-40—FBI
4—Truth or Consequences
5—News
9—Feeling Good
10—Concentration
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Newswatch
5—Concentration
9—News
10—Hollywood Squares

8:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "The Pawnbroker"
3-4—Invisible Man
5-10—Rhoda
9—Debut: Ourstory
36—Movie: "Affair with a Stranger"
40—Movie: "A Summer Place"
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
5-10—Phyllis

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Movie: "Cops and Robbers"
5-10—All in the Family
7—Willy Stargell
9—Tennis
13—Barbary Coast

9:30 P.M.
5-10—Maude
44—Best of Groucho

10:00 P.M.
2—News
5-10—Medical Center
7—Barbary Coast
13—Vaudeville
36—Merv Griffin
44—Movie: "Springfield Rifle"

10:30 P.M.
40—News

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Thriller

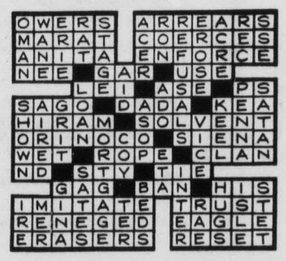
11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—Movie: "Linda"
7—Movie: "Luv"
13—Ironside
36—Movie: "Steamboat 'Round the Bend"

MIDNIGHT
2—News
36-40—Movies All Night

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The Body

Answer to Previous Puzzle

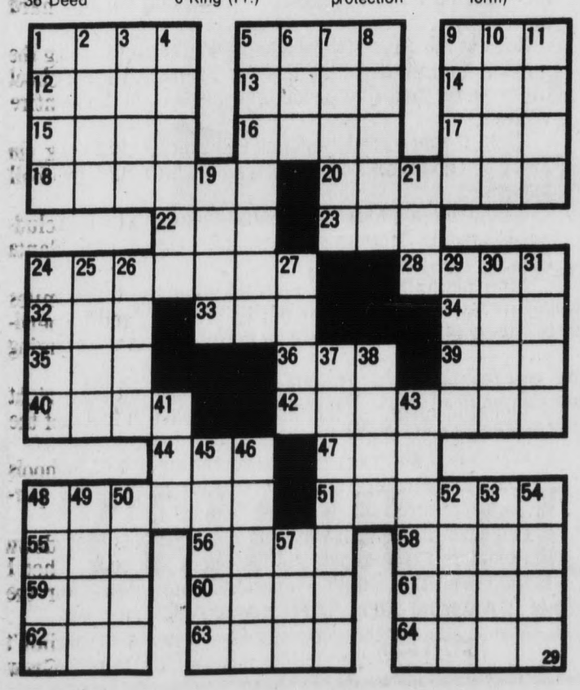


ACROSS

1 Skeleton part
5 Upper limbs
9 Pedal digit
12 Epochal
13 Tooth part
14 Harem room
15 California valley
16 Underground excavation
17 Short-napped fabric
18 Foot part
20 Expensive white fur
22 Son of Gad (Bib.)
23 Affirmative vote
24 Small towers
28 Moon (Latin)
32 Noun suffix
33 Mariner's direction
34 Used in moving
35 Doctor's assistants (pl.)
36 Deed
39 One (Ger.)
40 Burmese sprites
42 Foot bones
44 Meadow
47 Girl's name
48 Arm joints
51 Regular recurrences
55 Take to court
56 Italian volcano
58 Seep slowly
59 Powerful explosive
60 Female ruffs
61 Nostril
62 Moslem title
63 Theater signs
64 Small liquid measure

DOWN

1 Bolivian river
2 Algerian city
3 Takes a siesta
4 Beetle
5 Underarm hollows
6 King (Fr.)
7 Legal currency
8 Cubic meter
9 Convex column molding
10 Old Danish (ab.)
11 Comfort
19 Poetic before (pl.)
21 Bad (prefix)
24 Rotate
25 Arm bone
26 Remainder
27 Place to rest
29 Pigmented eye layer
30 Finger protection
31 Miss Meara's
37 Skeleton
38 Flat receptacle
41 Road sign (coll.)
43 Next after leader
45 Pitchers
46 Fall flower
48 This (Sp.)
49 Breathing organ
50 Greek letter
52 To praise (Sp.)
53 Hebrew prophet
54 Appear
57 New (comb. form)



astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Sunday, Sept. 28, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're not overly patient with the family today. If everyone's walking around the house with a long face, you may be to blame.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Giving orders comes easy to you today. However, if you want others to follow your edicts, you'd better try to set a good example.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you've committed yourself to picking up the tab today, first check the prices or you'll make a king-size dent in your wallet.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Others will make such heavy demands on your time you won't have much to yourself. Put your dreams away for another day.

LEO (July 23-Aug 22) You will be hypersensitive today. Weigh what others say or you'll mistake a sincere comment for a put-down.

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22) Have fun with friends today, but don't mix in money or things of a material nature. If you do, hard feelings will result.

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 23) Normally, you're very considerate of others' feelings. Today, you'll be so intent on having your way you'll get someone's hackles up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov 22) Be content to let sleeping dogs lie. You're likely to unwittingly dredge up some old, unpleasant issue that could be very disturbing to a friend.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 23-Dec 21) It's a losing proposition to give business advice to a friend today. If the situation doesn't pan out, he'll blame you for his failure.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19) You're not a good team player today. Avoid getting into a situation where you must rely on a partner. Neither will be happy.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 19) Where usually you're willing to lend a helping hand, today you will resent it deeply if anyone asks for a favor.

PISCES (Feb 20-March 20) Take no risks today where someone else is calling the shots. If you can't be captain of your own ship, pass the action.

Your Birthday

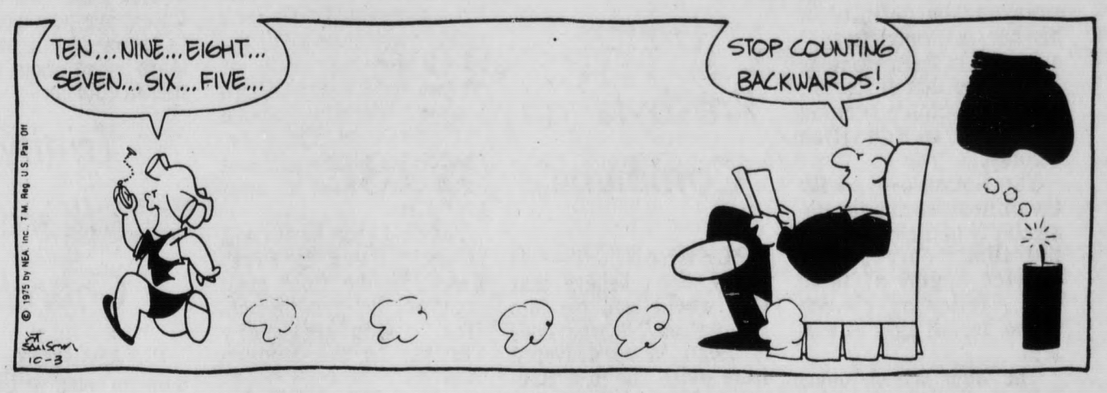
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Events and conditions will force you to be extremely ambitious this coming year. Just be sure to repay favors to anyone who's helped on the way up.

FRANK AND ERNEST



THE BORN LOSER

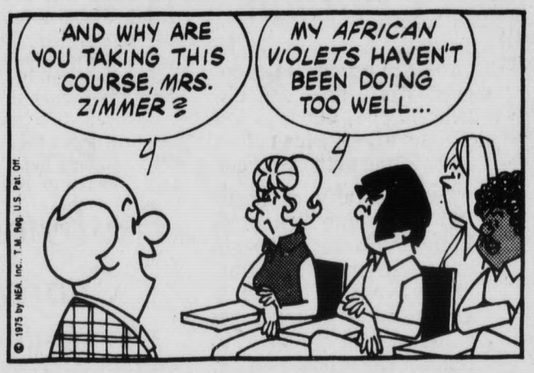


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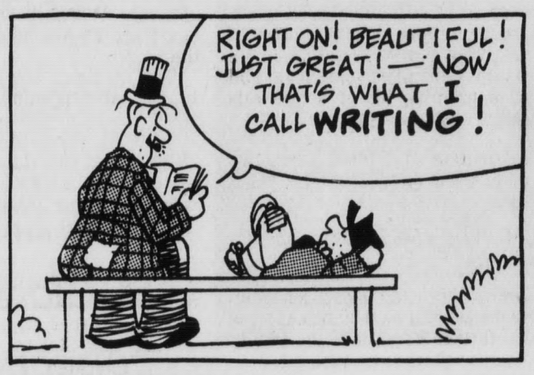








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SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox



"Sorry, Reverend, but thou hast just committed a traffic sin!"

Valley Church news

Lynnewood United Methodist

PLEASANTON — "Let everyone be definite in his/her own convictions," a quotation from Romans 14:5, is the title of Rev. J. Howard Acton's sermon for Christian Education Sunday.

The theme deals with the difficulties and the desirability of maintaining a pluralistic church. The service begins at 10:40 a.m., following church school for all ages at 9:30 a.m.

The high school/junior college class is embarking on an examination of the New Testament. Persons in this age group who are interested in looking at the basic tenants of our Christian faith are invited to join in.

The United Methodist Youth of Lynnewood are sponsoring a spaghetti feed at the church Saturday, Oct. 4 at 6 p.m. All who enjoy the company of young people are welcome to this fund-raising event.

St. Bartholomew's Episcopal

LIVERMORE — The service of Holy Communion will be held at 8 a.m. at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church today, followed by the fall Christian Education program for all ages at 9 a.m.

The service of Holy Eucharist will be held at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Shirley Woods preaching. The J-Hi group will meet at 7 p.m.

The Adult Inquirors Class begins Monday, Sept. 29 in the Rectors office at 7:30 p.m. A Bible Study class starts at 9:45 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 30. Call Sandra Turner, 828-4020, for location.

ing a Bible study of "Revelation," a sermon talk-back and community concerns forum at 9:50 a.m. Child care in the nursery and a coffee fellowship in the courtyard is provided throughout the morning.

United Presbyterian Community

PLEASANTON — "I really can't believe that God would lead me into temptation." So what does it mean to be delivered from evil? The Rev. Robert S. Vogt of the Tnited Presbyterian Community Church will deliver this sermon, the fourth and concluding of a four-part series about the The Lord's Prayer.

"Rise and Shine," the new celebration hymnbooks will be dedicated at both 9:30 and 11 a.m. services.

Cindy Bradshaw, Carolyn Cardinelli, Fred Diehl, Mark Hagerty, Mike Hagerty, and Jim Santo of the Second Collection from St. Augustine's Church will share in the musical part of both services.

Nursery care and Sunday School are available for youngsters through the sixth grade.

Granada Baptist Church

LIVERMORE — Today is "Sunday School Promotion Day" for the youth division at the Granada Baptist Church.

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m., followed by worship service at 10:45 a.m. Church training is at 5:45 p.m. and evening worship at 7 p.m.

The installation service for teachers and staff will also be held tonight. Nursery is provided.

Valley Community Church

PLEASANTON — Valley Community Church meets each Sunday in the multi-purpose room of Amador Valley High School. Worship Service begins at 10 a.m., Jr. Church at 10:30 a.m., and Bible Classes for all ages at 11 a.m.

Pastor Leron Heath will share "Back to First Base" in the final message of the summer series, "Contemporary Threats to the Modern Church."

A sing will be held today at 6:30 p.m. on the church property with access to the area by the Robo Car Wash on Main St. Women's Bible Classds meet Thursdays at 10 a.m. at 3288 Balmoral Ct. and the subject this session is "The Life of David."

Ladies Luncheon will at the house on the property at noon Wednesday. For reservations, call 846-9094.

Christian Doctrine School

Confraternity of Christian Doctrine School of Religion classes will begin at St. Raymond's in Dublin the week of the 29th. If any child is still not yet enrolled, you are asked to contact the school's office, 828-4033.

An urgent appeal has also been put out for more teachers at all levels.

St. Philip Lutheran

The Christian Education program for the Mentally Handicapped will continue at St. Philip Lutheran Church in Dublin. This program is opened to all, regardless of race, color or creed. For more information regarding this program, call the church office 828-2117, or Pat Lillie at 820-3642.

Adult instruction classes will begin Sunday, Oct. 5 at 4:30 p.m. This class is for anyone who would like to become a member and learn more about the Lutheran church.

Trinity Lutheran Church

PLEASANTON — Worship services will be held at 8 and 10:15 a.m. today at the Trinity Lutheran Church.

In both services there will be an introduction of all adult education opportunities available at Trinity for this fall. Also in the 10:15 a.m. service, all teachers in our three church schools will participate in a rite of re-dedication.

At 9 a.m., Sunday School, adult class and Bible Class will be held. The Bible Class is led by Pastor Kluender. The choir will rehearse after church.

First Presbyterian Church

LIVERMORE — Concurrent adult education and church school for children age 2 through eighth grade will be held at 9:30 a.m. at the First presbyterian Church.

The Christian Issues series will begin at 9:10 a.m. in order to show a complete film. The 10:30 worship service will include a children's sermon prior to Rev. William Nebo's sermon, and the anthem by the choir will be "Bless the Lord" by Ippolitoff-Ivanoff.

Rev. Nebo's sermon will be titled "Revolution and Resolution.

Holy Cross Lutheran

LIVERMORE — "What kind of unity" is the theme of the message at the Sunday morning duplicate Family Worship Services at Holy Cross Lutheran Church.

The pastor, the Rev. Milton C. Johnson, will officiate at the Rite of Holy Baptism at the 11 a.m. service. A service of God-speed for John Erkkila family will also be held.

St. Clare's Episcopal

Confirmation classes will be starting at St. Clare's Episcopal Church, 339 Rose Ave., Pleasanton, in October. Any adults or children who are interested should notify Reverend Wm. A. Smith.



St. Raymond's Church

As part of the largest project undertaken by the St. Raymond's Guild, members have been attending a boutique workshop every Wednesday through the summer and fall at the church. The boutique items they create will be sold at the annual Christmas bazaar Nov. 8-18 at the Motherhouse of the Holy Family Sisters of Mission San Jose to benefit the order. (Sister Angela of the Holy Family Sisters is principal of the St. Raymond CCD program.) Pictured are Sophie Darby, Lois Ganley, Doreen Collins and Chairman Mary Taylor.

Valley Christian Center

DUBLIN — Pastor Tannenberg will speak on "Four Questions" at the Valley Christian Center at the 8:30, 9:45 and 11 a.m. services.

At 9:45 and 11 a.m., there will be a variety of Bible discussion classes for youth and adults. An innovative Concept 5 Bible program for children pre-school through grade 6 will be held from 9:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

The 6 p.m. Praise Gathering for Believers will include informal sharing, lively singing and a talk-back message.



James Hammeke

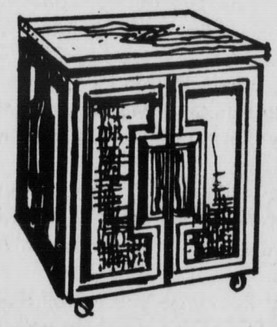
Navy Fireman James J. Hammeke, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Hammeke of 1811 Broadmoor St. in Livermore, was graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center in San Diego.

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Parkway Baptist Church

Pastor Max Hively of the Parkway Baptist Church in Dublin greets three new deacons to the church. They are, left to right: Pastor Hively, Jim Rives, Paul Lackey and Don Smith. At far right is Dr. Elmer Gray, editor of the California Southern Bptist Magazine.

Finance school

Army Private Charles A. Lotz, son of George S. Lotz of 506 Maple St. in Livermore, completed a finance specialist course at the U.S. Army Finance School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

John Knox Church

DUBLIN — "On the Rocks!" is Rev. Jim Griffes' sermon theme for both the 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services of worship at John Knox United Presbyterian Church.

The message is an interpretation of Isaiah 66:1 and Matthew 7:24-27, on the kind of house we should build for God.

Sunday School classes for children aged 2 years, 6 months through five years begin at 9 a.m. Older children and youth are dismissed from worship for their clarses at 9:30 a.m.

There are also adult enrichment seminars includ-

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TOPS IN SALES



CONNIE KLUGOW

is shown receiving the trophy for the top sales producer for the month of August from Manager Don Theile of Valley Realty's CROW CANYON ROAD OFFICE.

This is the sixth time this year that Connie has received the salesperson of the month award in the Crow Canyon Road Office. Her personal sales volume from January 1, 1975 to date is approaching $2,000,000.

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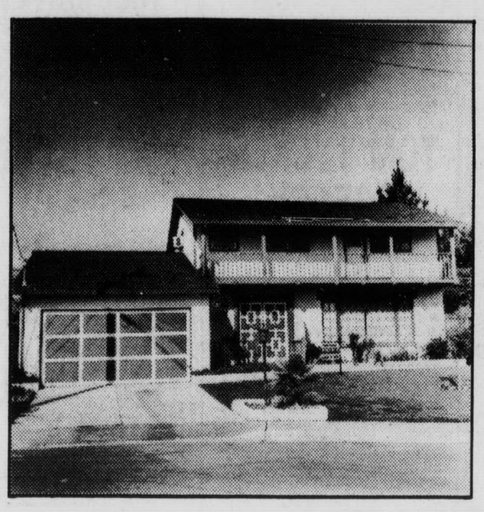
The 'Real-View'

by Pat Schnerll

Telford Gaslamp Realty To Join Century 21 Family

One of Pleasanton's longest established, most distinguished real estate firms, GASLAMP REALTORS, is joining the rapidly growing ranks of the CENTURY 21 real estate group. Melda Telford, herself a distinguished 10 year member of SACBOR who also holds her RECI designation and GRI, made the announcement this week. "Our new signs will be up early in October," Melda said, "and we look forward to being connected with CENTURY 21."

Home of the Week



Here'a a lot of house for the money! Lovely Silvergate setting in Dublin highlighted by professional landscaping and a kidney-shaped heated and filtered pooi. Inside this two-story home you'll find 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, wood parquet flooring in family room. Over 2100 sq. ft. $59,950 and you can assume the 8¾% loan with 20% down. For more details call JUNE SALBER at WOODREN REALTY, 11900 Silvergate Dr., 828-7101.

Sales Spotlight

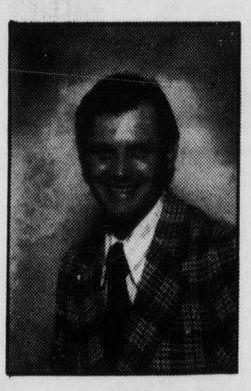
VILLAGE REALTY Growing

Pictured below are two of the realtor associates with VILLAGE REALTY, 7368 San Ramon Rd., Dublin.

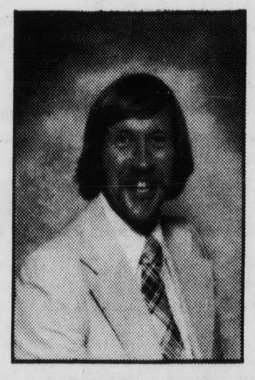
Paul Hundley, at left, lives in Pleasanton with his wife, Beverly, and children, Matthew and Michele. When not busy moving real estate Paul enjoys various sports activities.

Russ Schaeffer, wife, Linda, and children Jim and Becky, are Dublin residents. Russ is actively involved with "Young Life," the Christian Youth Group.

Both Paul and Russ urge you to call them at VILLAGE REALTY, 829-2323, for help with your real estate needs.



PAUL HUNDLEY



RUSS SCHAEFFER

Tri-Valley Super Stars

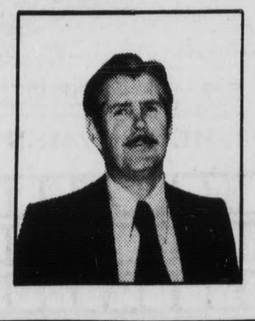


CAROL FRENZEL

One of TRI-VALLEY'S charming sales persons invites you to come by today and view one of the most outstanding new homes in Pleasanton. A magnificent estate, custom in every detail. Four bedrooms, 2 baths, wet bar, huge rooms complete with circle drive, stone entry and heritage oak tree setting. Let Carol show you through this showplace today at 1586 Foothill Rd.

WALT MAGDEFRAU

Has been with TRI-VALLEY for only 5 months and has already passed the $1,000,000 goal. Active realtor associate Walt would like you to drop in and meet him today. He's holding open for your view a super doll house, immaculate in every way, with new carpets and drapes. Look for Walt at 18912 Santa Maria, Cstro Valley.





Oktoberfest

This is the Klucker family of Pleasanton who will participate once again in the Oktoberfest USA scheduled for October 3, 4 and 5 this year. Held at the Alameda County fairgrounds in Pleasanton it once again features the Bavarian music of Joe Smiell and his specialists in folk music and traditional dance rythms, continuous music and shows, beer, pretzels, polish sausages and German desserts.

Chabot Valley campus to offer mini-course for RN degrees

LIVERMORE — Chabot College's Valley campus will offer a mini-course for registered nurses who have graduated from diploma programs in nursing and would like to earn a degree.

The mini-course begins Oct. 7 in room 202V from 4:30 p.m. to 6:20 p.m. on Tuesdays through Oct. 28.

There are several new and innovative programs leading to the bachelor's degree in nursing. In addition, Chabot College offers a way to earn the Associate in Arts degree in nursing without further clinical course work.

The four-session mini-course, nursing 99-93 entitled "Colloquium," is devoted to expoloration of the various opportunities now available to the registered nurse who wants to earn college credits for his or her previous nursing studies or who simply wants to know what is going on in education for nurses.

The course, offered by Dr. Glenys Wilson, chairman of the Health Sciences Division and director of nursing education, and Eleanor Meyer, Health Science programs advisor, discusses existing and planned programs for nurses and provides any nurse who wishes with an opportunity to plan a program of study designed to meet his or her personal career goals. One-half unit of college credit will be granted.

The course will enable the student to identify the several routes to advanced study in nursing, to prepare for successful completion of the credit-by-examination program to validate previous nursing, educational and work experiences, and to prepare a personal study plan for proceeding toward the degree.

Further information is available by calling the Chabot College Counseling Division, 782-3000, ext. 448, or the Health Sciences Division, 782-3000, ext. 300.

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Energy research meetings scheduled for October 20

The Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) will hold the first of a series of public meetings on its National Energy Research and Development Plan in Atlanta Oct. 20 and 21.

Another hearing is planned for Seattle in November, a third in December in Denver and ERDA spokesmen indicate more hearings may be held in other locations during 1976.

"The purpose of these meetings" said Dr. Robert Seamans, Administrator of ERDA "is to foster a constructive exchange of information and opinion on how we in this country can develop the new sources of energy we will need and make the best use of what energy sources we already have.

"Our nation will run out of oil and gas not too long after the year 2000 and we get abouth three-fourths of our energy from those dwindling resources.

"We must do something — starting right now — to meet that challenge; and, in fact, we are. ERDA has prepared a National Plan to create energy options for the future. Our plan has been submitted to the president and to the congress. It is being discussed widely in and out of the government, and from these discussions we hope to continually improve our plan.

"These public meetings will also serve not only to inform the people in the various regions but — even more importantly — to provide ERDA with knowledge of regional energy issues, problems and proposals.

"It is our desire to have a fruitful dialogue with local, state and regional groups. The public meetings are a first step." Seamans concluded.

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Solar energy methods course offered at UC

Methods of using solar energy for heating buildings, houses and swimming pools will be outlined in a two-day course to be held Sept. 26 and 27 at the University of California at Berkeley.

Dr. Marshal F. Merriam, associate professor of materials science and engineerings at UC and a member of the International Solar Energy Society, will head the instructional staff.

The course will emphasize solar energy applications of interest to contractors, architects, engineers, builders and homeowners. Among the topics to be covered will be existing commerical solar heating systems and ways of estimating their performance. A detailed analysis of solar house design for Northern California will also be presented.

The course is being sponsored by the Continuing Education in Engineering division of the UC Extension program.

A registration fee of $100 will be charged for the course, which will meet from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in 277 Cory Hall. Further information is available at 642-4151.

Battery energy program successfully completed

The first phase of a program to implement a Battery Energy Storage Test (BEST) facility was successfully completed last month with the report by a project team, composed of the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA), the Electric Power Resources Institute (EPRI) and electric utility representatives.

The report was presented to ERDA and EPRI.

The BEST facility will be built at a utility substation so that battery system performance can be tested and characterized on complete systems in a user environment, after extensive battery system component testing at the developers.

Objective of the Phase I study was to determine the functional, operational and funding requirements for such a facility. The setup will initially include a control room, general shop area, interface equipment, station and battery auxillary equipment and battery test bays.

Three bays will cost approximately $3.3 million and the maintenance will run about $500,000 a year.

Chief retires

Navy Chief Aviation Machinist's Mate John R. Kelly, son of Mrs. Lauretta Kelly of 2526 Fourth St. in Livermore, has retired after 20 years of service.

He most recently served with Patrol Squadron 31 at the Naval Air Station at Moffett Field.

REAL ESTATE OBSERVATIONS

By BILL HAYWARD

Most real estate transactions are made "binding" by the use of a written contract signed by both buyer and seller. Along with such a contract there is usually a certain amount of money pledged in one way or another to insure the performance of the contract by the buyer.

Real estate law suggests that such earnest money deposits be placed into an escrow account usually with a title or escrow company. Many real estate transactions allow these earnest money deposits to be held in trust in the real estate broker's trustee bank account.

At any rate the nature and amounts of such deposits must, by law, be fully disclosed to all parties to a transaction. Most buyers do not keep sufficient amounts of money in their regular everyday checking account to cover a $1000 escrow deposit.

When such a check is to be written by a prospective buyer it should be made clear to everyone that the check would be held for a given number of days wherein the buyer would have time to transfer money from savings into checking in order to make the check good.

Some buyers would prefer to sign a promissory note in the beginning of a purchase negotiation to save the bother of transferring money from savings and thereby losing their interest earning for some period of time. Most sellers feel that buyers using the promissory note procedure are weak customers.

Most sellers appreciate the problem, however, there is nothing more powerful in the procedures of contract negotiation than for the real estate agent to have a sizable cashier's check along with the agreement to buy.

It shows a very apparent strength of the buyer's capability. We find weakness in situations wherein a buyer writes a check on an out-of-town bank and it takes a week or 10 days to clear. During this time there is only a promise to pay the money.

If a seller during this period refuses to sell to the out-of-town buyer then the deposit should be refunded. How can a real estate broker refund on a check that has not cleared and for that matter may not clear. Some buyers become most impatient when such a delay of refund occurs.

Some transactions where sizable deposits are established still fail to materialize. A loan application is turned down or some other contingency fails to be removed.

We can recall sales that have gone through without deposits of any kind. All that we had was a contract with a verbal promise to go through with the purchase. One man said to us after arriving on the bus from San Francisco that he wanted to buy a lot somewhere in Walnut Creek before it came time to catch the 7 p.m. bus back home

We found this honest customer a lot on Park Avenue off Willow in Saranap. He offered us one silver dollar to hold the lot for one week. No contract, just wait one week and he would come back out to pay for the lot in total. There was indeed an unusual proposition. We asked the owner of the lot what he would lije us to do.

He said take the $1.00 deposit and hold the lot as requested. Sure enough our customer was back on the following Sunday with a cashier's check for the full amount to complete the sale.

Another fellow wanted to buy a place in Clover Lane just off Mt. Diablo Boulevard back in 1949. The price was $9000. We asked this man if he would place a deposit to hold it until escrow was ready to close. We also wanted to draw a deposit receipt to "bind" the sale.

He just told us that he would be back the next day with the cash and would meet with us at the title company and close the sale. There were no deposits and no written agreements on this sale until this "old school" buyer met us at the ecrow office where buyer and seller signed settlement documents in the presence of agents to complete the sale.

We don't suggest this as a steady rule, but it worked and could work again.



New residences feature many options.

What's your problem?

By MERLE HALL

Dear Mr. Hall:

We bought an income building (residential) almost eight years ago from the owner with a small down payment, and he carried back a huge first mortgage at 8 per cent interest, with the payments being almost all interest. It is now due, and the balance of the loan is so large, we can't seem to find another loan to refinance it. We don't want to lose the building because it has been very good for us — especially in tax shelter. What can we do?

R.O.

Dear Mr. R.O.:

Your case is another instance of becoming so involved with saving income taxes that the future consequences are overlooked.

You certainly can not afford to lose the building because the mortgage balance is undoubtedly higher than your present adjusted cost basis. Losing the building would not only involve a loss of your equity, but probably would trigger capital gains taxes, and possibly recapture.

If you wish, you may call my office for an immediate appointment and we can try, with the cooperation of your income tax consultant, to devise a method of saving your equity in the building, plus deferring any possible income tax consequences.

Since time is now of the essence, I suggest you make some effort at once to save yourself a large loss.

Realtor Hall, a member of the Contra Costa Board of Realtors, is an instructor in real estate principles and investments at Diablo Valley College. For answers to your questions, you may write him, care of The Contra Costa Times, Box 5088, Walnut Creek, Calif.

Company lists CC loan data

WALNUT CREEK - The western home office of the Prudential Insurance Co. invested $2,581,335 in Contra Costa County in real estate loans during the first six months of 1975.

Will J. Clardy Jr., Northern California general manager for the company's real estate investment department, said the entire amount was for city loans.

In California, real estate loan disbursements amounted to $103,051,533 with $86,233,825 for city loans and $16,817,708 for farm loans.

Brown signs women's bills

SACRAMENTO (AP) — A bill setting up a $200,000 job training program for widows and divorcees and one allowing a woman to reclaim her maiden name when divorced were signed Friday by Gov. Edmund Brown Jr.

The training program, in a bill by Sen. Jerry Smith, D-Saratoga, will be established in Alameda County next year to provide job counseling and training to divorced and widowed women thrown into the job market with few employable skills.

Brown said he approved the pilot project because he is "deeply concerned about the difficulties faced by widows and divorced homemakers set adrift in our uncertain economy."

But he added his customary warning about social programs, saying, "I don't want to delude anyone into thinking that mere money or government programs as presently constituted will get at the roots of the economic and moral dilemma facing this country."

The second bill, by Sen. Milton Marks, R-San Francisco, requires a court to restore the birth or pre-marriage name of a woman at her request in a divorce proceeding.

Brown, who held a news conference Friday to announce the signing of a bill requiring prison terms for hernin sellers, also signed:

—A bill by Assemblyman Mike Antonovich, R-Glendale, increasing the penalties for staging dogfights.

—A bill by Assemblyman Bob Wilson, D-La Mesa, requiring insurance companies to notify the state when a driver cancels a policy which was bought after an accident to comply with mandatory insurance laws; the motorist's license could then be suspended.

—A measure by Sen. Albert Rodda, D-Sacramento, putting a $150 million community college construction bond on next June's ballot.

—A bill by Sen. Alfred Song, D-Monterey Park, barring new felony prosecution of a defendant who has had the same charges dismissed twice previously for lack of a speedy trial, unless there is substantial new evidence.

Job losses over age bill vetoed

SACRAMENTO (AP) — A ban on job discrimination based on age was vetoed Thursday by Gov. Edmund Brown Jr.

The measure by Sen. Robert Presley, D-Riverside, would have extended a provision in current California law forbidding job discrimination against persons between 40 and 64 years old.

It would have made age-based employment discrimination illegal at any age, old or young, but would have allowed employers to keep compulsory retirement programs.

The Democratic governor said the bill might have put too much of a burden on state enforcement agencies, which would have had to determine whether a job decision was based solely on age.

"Before adding new enforcement responsibilities, we should allow adequate time for the Fair Employment Practices Commission to work against age discrimination under recently enacted law, particularly in the 40 to 64 age group," Brown said.

"The past record indicates that another rapid expansion in jurisdiction may well be illusory."

Brown also vetoed a bill setting up hearing procedures before a public college official could bar someone from a campus.

LEGAL NOTICE

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
OF THE CITY OF
PLEASANTON
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Adjustment of the City of Pleasanton has set October 8' 1975, at the hour of 7:15 P.M., Wednesday evening, a regular Board of Adjustment meeting in the Pleasanton Justice Court, 30 West Angela Street, Pleasanton, California, as the time and place to consider the following matter:

Application of Frank Pozar for a variance from the requirements of Sec. 2-9.29, Article 17, or Section 2-0.16 (2), Article 16, Chapter 2, Title II of the Ordinance Code of the City of Pleasanton, to allow the construction of a proposed 6,000 sq. ft. commercial building located at the northwest corner of Hopyard Road and West Las Positas Boulevard, which would either not provide the required loading facilities or not meet code requirements for the provision of parking spaces.

The Board of Adjustment may approve, modify or deny the application or recommend to the City Council any action deemed in the public interest.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above hearing shall be held and persons concerned shall be heard by the Board of Adjustment.

DATED: September 26, 1975

/s/ Robert J. Harris,
Secretary
Board of Adjustment
of the City of
Pleasanton

Legal PT 924
Publish Sept. 28, 1975

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC
HEARING BY ALAMEDA
COUNTY ZONING ADMINISTRATOR
DUBLIN INVESTMENTS,
VARIANCE V-6820
LESLIE P. BUSICK'
VARIANCE V-6822

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Alameda County Zoning Administrator will hold a PUBLIC HEARING on the following matters:

VARIANCE V-6820, APPLICATION OF DUBLIN INVESTMENTS to expand a non - conforming use: manufacturing within a General Commercial district by utilizing additional space within an existing commercial building in a "C-2-B-40" (General Commercial, 40,000 sq. ft. minimum building site area) District, located at 6841-6843 Dublin Boulevard north side, 250' west of the intersection with Sierra Court, Dublin, as shown on a map on file with this Department.

VARIANCE, V-6822, APPLICATION OF LESLIE P. BUSICK to retain a non - conforming freestanding sign where not otherwise permitted in an "M-1" (Light Industrial) District, located at 6335 Scarlett Court, north side, 1,000' east of the intersection with Dougherty Road, Dublin, as shown on a map on file with this Department.

Said PUBLIC HEARING will be held at the hour of 1:30 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1975, in the County of Alameda Public Works Building, Auditorium, 399 Elmhurst Street, Hayward, California, at which time and place any and all persons interested herein may appear and be heard.

RICHARD P. FLYNN
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR
ALAMEDA COUNTY
PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Legal PT 919
Publish September 28, 1975

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA
No. H-06884-0 Department No. 16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, EDWARD F. NIELSEN, Executor of the Estate of NIELS PETER NIELSEN, aka NIELS P. NIELSEN, aka N. P. NIELSEN, Deceased, to all persons having claims against the said decedent, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the Law Offices of AMARAL & WALKER, 62 West Neal Street, Pleasanton, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Executor of
the Estate of NIELS PETER
NIELSEN, aka NIELS P. NIELSEN,
aka N.P. NIELSEN,
Deceased

Dated at Pleasanton, California, the 11th day of September, 1975.
Legal PT 896
Publish September 14, 21, 28 & October 5, 1975

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of the AMADOR VALLEY JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALAMEDA COUNTY AND CONTRA COSTA COUNTY hereby calls for sealed proposals to be delivered to the Purchasing Agent of said District at the office of said District, 123 Main Street, Pleasanton, California, until October 7, 1975, at 3:00 P.M., at which time and place said bids will be opened for the furnishing of Gymnasium Athletic Equipment for Foothill High School.

These bids shall be presented in accordance with the specifications for the same which are on file with said Board at its office hereinabove mentioned.

All bids must be made on proposals obtained from said office of said Board, and must be signed by the bidder and accompanied by a cashier's check or a check certified without qualification by some responsible bank or banker and made payable to Amador Valley Joint Union High School District of Alameda County and Contra Costa County, to be retained by said District as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom any contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award or to give bond required for the faithful performance of the contract or any bond required by law. The amount of said check shall be ten per cent (10%) of the total bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any and all items of such bids.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, September 16, 1975

Wallace Decker
Clerk of the
Board of Trustees
of the Amador Valley
Joint Union High
School District of
Alameda County and
Contra Costa County,
State of California

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the following called vote this 16th day of September, 1975:
AYES: Donaldson, Barnes, Beazley, Delaney, Decker
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

Wallace Decker
Clerk of the
Board of Trustees
of the Amador Valley
Joint Union High
School District of
Alameda County and
Contra Costa County,
State of California

Legal PT 901
Publish September 21 & 28, 1975

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These bids shall be presented in accordance with the specifications for the same which are on file with said Board at its office hereinabove mentioned.

All bids must be made on proposals obtained from said office of said Board, and must be signed by the bidder and accompanied by a cashier's check or a check certified without qualification by some responsible bank or banker and made payable to Amador Valley Joint Union High School District of Alameda County and Contra Costa County, to be retained by said District as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom any contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award or to give bond required for the faithful performance of the contract or any bond required by law. The amount of said check shall be ten per cent (10%) of the total bid.

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Union High School
District of Alameda
County and Contra
Costa County,
State of California

Legal PT 900
Publish September 21 & 28, 1975

CITY OF PLEASANTON
FISCAL REPORT SUMMARY
FISCAL YEAR 1974-75

Publication of Summary for City of Pleasanton Financial Report as required by the State Controller

Revenue
(For Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1975)

Property Tax	$1,607,383
Other Tax	522,614
Licenses & Permits	128,534
Fines, Forfeits & Penalties	65,303
Revenue from Use of Money & Property	140,317
Revenue from other Agencies	1,219,393
Charges for Current Services	454,283
Other Revenue	199,166
Total Revenue	$4,336,993

Expenditures
(For Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1975)

	Expenses	Capital Outlay	Total
General Government-Departmental	$775,056	$20,846	$795,902
General Government-Non-Departmental	147,340	—	147,340
Public Safety	1,545,824	58,371	1,604,195
Public Works	548,820	286,313	835,133
Park & Recreation	429,051	344,192	773,243
Contribution to other Governmental Funds & Units	235,792	—	235,792
Total Expenditures	$3,681,883	709,722	$4,391,605

Water Enterprise Operation
(For Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1975)

Income	$774,142
Expenses	733,800
Net Income (or Loss)	40,342
Revenue Bonds Redeemed	20,000
Current Year Capital Outlay	$68,970

Sewer Enterprise Operation
(For Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1975)

Income	$566,918
Expense	557,687
Net Income (or Loss)	9,231
Current Year Capital Outlay	$480,839

General Obligation Bonded Indebtedness
As of June 30, 1975

General Obligation Bonded Indebtedness	$1,543,000

Assessed Valuations
1975-76

	State Assessed	Locally Assessed	Unsecured	Total
Land	$246,310	$35,458,825	$55,155	$35,760,290
Improvements	1,709,560	70,749,945	2,555,447	75,014,952
Personal Property	1,784,590	1,821,003	3,608,759	7,214,352
Total	$3,740,460	$108,029,773	$6,219,361	$117,989,594
Less Exemptions	-0-	13,768,695	745,691	14,514,386
Net Total	$3,740,460	$94,261,078	$5,473,670	$103,475,208

/s/ James R. Walker
Assistant to the
City Manager

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Publish September 28, 1975

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4. Lost & Found

FOUND: Keeshond puppy, female, vic. of Highland Oaks. Call 462-5078 or 846-9361.

FOUND: Silver/gray persian cat w/collar. Vic. Crestmont Ave., Liv. Call 455-6212.

LOST: Binder containing football play diagrams at Amador High, 9/22. REWARD, 443-2032.

LOST: Black toy poodle, vic. 6th & P Sts., Livermore, childs pet. 455-0493 aft. 6.

LOST: Cat, female, calico, vic. Raven Rd., Pleas. Call 846-6031.

LOST: 2 male Irish Setters, vic. of Brighton Wy., $50 reward. 829-4464.

BUSINESS SERVICES

9. Services Offered

ABE'S GARDENING SHRUB PRUNING TREE SERVICE NEW LAWNS OLD LAWNS REPLACED DECORATIVE ROCK YARD CLEANUPS FENCE REPAIRS TRASH HAULING PAINTING. FREE ESTIMATES INSURED 24-HR. SERVICE. 443-4230.

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9. Services Offered

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FIX-ALL
Furnace Maintenance, plumbing, Carpentry, Electrical. Install & Repair attic fans, Appliances, Etc. Call 828-4334.

11. Building Services

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12. Sewing

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13. Garden Service

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JAPANESE LANDSCAPER, 20 yrs. exper. Homes or commercial. 462-1760.

14. Hauling, Moving

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INSTRUCTION

24. Instruction

GUITAR LESSONS, $2.50½ an hr., experienced & at your home. Beginners & intermediate. Call Pete Simms, 846-0725.

PIANO LESSONS: All levels, gen. music education offered. Call 447-4644.

PIANO & ACCORDION LESSONS
443-6729

27. Nursery Schools

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MISS DEE'S DAY CARE
COLLEGE AVE., LIVERMORE
443-6430 455-6036

EMPLOYMENT

32. Help Wanted

COUNTER HELP: parttime, over 21, apply Cactus Jacks, Liv., 443-3240 or Burger Pit, Dub., 828-2400.

32. Help Wanted

ACCOUNTING CLERK

This immed. opportunity requires 3-5 yrs. of recent, varied accounting exper. Responsibilities will include payroll, accts. payable, cost accounting analysis' capital asset control, bank reconciliations, & petty cash control.

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447-3959

BETTER HOMES REALTY will be opening in Livermore on Oct. 1st. We are looking for experienced agents who want to grow with us. For confidential interview call. Livermore, Tommy Page, 455-6650. Pleasanton or Dublin, Leanne Mulich, 828-6600.

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To $725. Mature stable w/good driving record scores w/local school district! Must have good references from last job.
DAILY 7 AM TO 7 PM
TOM TUCKER AGENCY
1776 Ygnacio Valley WC
938-3333

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32. Help Wanted

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KEY PUNCH OPERATORS
CLERK TYPISTS
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32. Help Wanted

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Toy & Gift Parties
Gifts 'n Gadgets will train inexperienced housewives to earn to $2000 by Thanksgiving, demonstrating beautiful line of gifts & toys. No Delivering - No Collecting - Free Hostess Gifts. Need car. Call 846-8742 or 443-5250 to see line.
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SOUTHER
PERSONNEL AGENCY
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Immediate full & part time openings in Pleas., Sunol & Hayward areas. Ideal second income for retiree. Must have clean police record & good back ground. 656-4531.

33. Salespeople

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34. Domestics Needed

BABYSITTER NEEDED for eves., 4-10 p.m., my home, 2 girls, 1 & 2 yrs., 455-4197, 447-3616.

HOUSEKEEPER to work in motel, part time only. Apply in person: EL DORADO MOTEL, 3979 First St., Liv.

MATURE BABYSITTER: 6 a.m.-4 p.m., my home 3 hrs., yours rest of day. Mitchell Sch. area, 3 boys, 2 in sch., 1 16 mos., REFS., write P.O. Box 188-179, Pleas., Ca 94566.

MATURE SITTER NEEDED, my Val Vista home, parttime, references. Call 443-0910.

MOTHER'S HELPER wanted, part time household help, 1-2 days a week. 443-4931.

WANTED: Mature, exper. ironing person, my home or yours. Call 846-4861 aft. 6.

35. Work Wanted

HOUSE CLEANING, vacuuming, window, dusting, waxing, etc. Call 443-3078.

LIVESTOCK, PETS

38. Pets & Services

BURMESE CATS & KITTENS: champion bred, show or breed. Call 687-8445 or 687-4566.

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38. Pets & Services

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6 WEEKS
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7 WEEKS OLD
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39. Livestock

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46. Appliances

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47. Home Furnishings

COMPLETE wooden waterbeds from $125. Complete upholstered w/headboard, $150. All parts & components for sale. Corner of Mt. Diablo St. & Laguna St., Concord. 676-4880.

GOLD VELVET hide-a-bed, $125; 7 ft. Black sofa, $150; B&W houndstooth chair, $65; cane back vevt chair, $70 or make offer. 462-3946.

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48. Articles for Sale

BABY ITEMS: Crib, portacrib, infant seat, hi-chair, walker, 3-way stroller. 846-4833.

KNITTING MACHINES, see **MAYWILL KNITS,** in the yellow pages. 657-2997

48. Articles for Sale

GARAGE SALE: Fri., Sat., Sun. Misc. items, dishes, some furn. 10-5 p.m. 2393 Woodthrust Wy, Pleas.

GARAGE SALE: Things from A to Z. Customers wanted! Sat. & Sun., Sept. 27 & 28, at 8496 Deervale Rd., Dublin.

GARAGE SALE: Couch, chairs, tables, stereo, misc. items, all in very good cond., 9/27, 28, 6588 Calle Altamira, Pleas., 846-1826.

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50. Wanted to Buy

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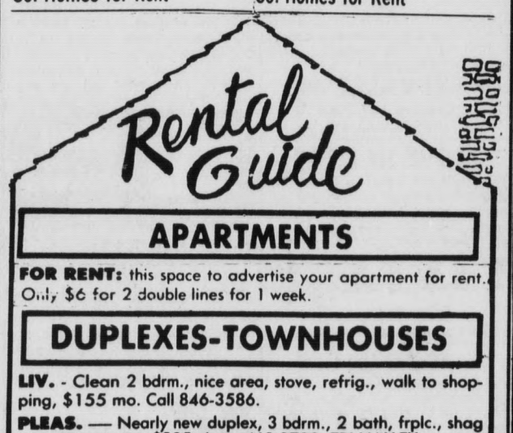
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51. Musical Instruments

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80. Homes for Rent



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DUB. - Nice 4 bdrm., 2 bath, dining rm., AEK w/refrig., cpts., drps., close to schls. (Briarhill). A. & B. PROPERTIES, 846-8119.

DUB. - 3 bdrm., 2 bath, $275 per mo.- lease + dep. Lrg. yard & patio, lovely landscaping. Call Roy, 828-3200 days, 828-4670 eves.

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LIV. — 3 bdrm., stove, refrig., close to shopping. $250 per mo., utilities incl. Must have good references. 638-3718.

LIV. - Beautiful 4 bdrm., 2 bath, AEK, sunken fam. rm., breakfast bar, cpts., drps., fenced yard, patio. Almond Ave. sch. dist. $325 mo. A& B PROPERTIES - 846-8119.

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PLEAS. - Condo. 3 bdrm., 1½ bath, vacant. Cent. air, cpts., drps., washer & dryer incl. $295 mo. **GASLAMP RLTR.,** 846-8850.

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52. Boats & Supplies

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61. Business Opps.

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63. Money to Loan

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RENTALS

71. OfficesStores (Rent)

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71. OfficesStores (Rent)

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72. Industrial, Commercial for Rent

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80. Homes for Rent

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80. Homes for Rent

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82. Wanted to Rent

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83. Vacation Rentals

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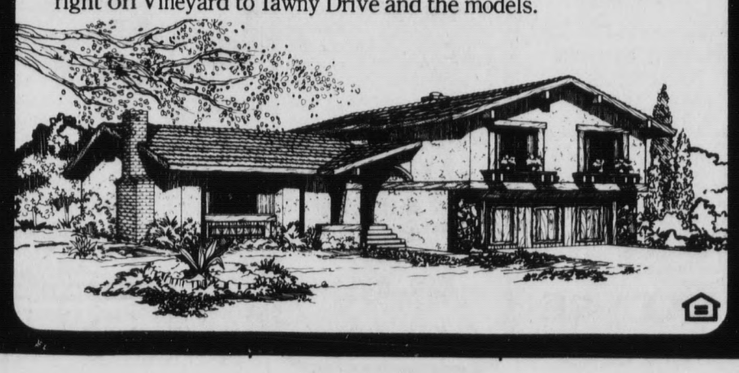
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Ecco Park 3 bdrm. with family room. New paint, quiet court & great terms. Loss of job causes low price of only $36,950.
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This lovely Parkwood home features Walk-in Pantry, AEK, ceramic tile, custom built-in stereo, finished garage & sprinklers. This 4 bdrm. 2 bath home is in one of Dublin's choice - areas. **$49,750.**

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POOL
heated & filtered plus 4 bdrm., 2 baths, closed patio, low maintenance yard, but big lot. Side access. 4 piece electric kitchen. Squeaky clean. Big home and only $57,950. Submit your offers, transferred seller.

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TWO STORY - 4 bdrm. 2 bath Colonial style home. No other model like it. Cent. air cond. formal dining, plush carpets, drapes, 1 block to school. **$52,900.**
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Realtors 829-1020
7335 Village Pkwy., Dub.

$1500 Total closing cost to a G.I. buyer on this 3 bdrm. 2 bath home. Cent. air cond., large yard, 1 block to school, shopping. **$36,500.**
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8929 San Ramon Rd.

$1750 DOWN
PLUS closing costs will purchase this 3 bdrm. 2 bath home located on a large lot with mature trees, built-in Range & oven. Needs some work but priced right. **$34,950. YOUNG AMERICAN REALTORS 829-4222.**

"JAWS"
will open in awe when you see this super valued 3 bdrm., 2 ba. home. Attractive carpeting, drapes, decorator touches, large Calif. dining rm., loads of cabinets in a gourmet's kitchen. Only $35,950.
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DUBLIN

PRESTIGE HOMES
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SAN RAMON
LUXURY LIVING - Immaculate 2 story Rancher in the Orchards - over 2000 feet Luxury living. 4 bdrm., 2½ baths, dramatic cathedral ceilings. 16x32 heated & filtered doughboy (in ground). $62,950.

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BRIAR HILL MINI PARK - ¼ acre of secluded luxury. Beautiful 3 bdrm., 2 bath with thick upgraded shag carpets. AEK with counters. No wax linoleum, formal dining, panelling, wallpaper throughout, fenced 20x36 heated & filtered free form pool with slide. Only $63,950.

PLEASANTON
POOL just listed super sharp Valley Trails most desirable Tri-Level with beautiful heated & filtered pool with decking, and sweep. Nicely landscaped front and rear. Side yard access. And many More Extras. $58,950.
VAL VISTA ASSUMPTION
Outstanding is the only thing to say about this beautiful Monte Vista model. Check these features. 4 bdrm. 2 bath. Huge open fam. room, formal living room, fantastic kitchen with indirect lighting. Loads of decoration, wallpaper plus covered Redwood deck and Doughboy pool. Side access, a real buy at $47,950.

PLEASANTON MEADOWS BEAUTY 3 bdrm. 2 bath barely 1 year old. Shake roof courtyard entry, Tile Spanish Foyer, dramatic living and formal dining room. Gas log lighter, AEK with tiled counters. Garden view family room, inside laundry, auto. sprinklers front & rear. Side access, try lease option. $56,950.
10 ACRE RANCHETTE with barn located on flat terrain in Foothills. This outstanding property makes an ideal setup for (2) 5 acre Ranchettes with horses. Call for more information.

LIVERMORE
$8,500 ASSUMES This 3 bdrm. 2 bath Gardenia Model with kitchen in the round. W/W carpets, natural Stone Fireplace, breakfast bar, inside laundry plus much more.

OLDER HOME Lovely 2 bdrm., side access, zoned commercial, close to town, ideal setup for Doctors Office. Only $26,950.

PRESTIGE HOMES
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7000 Village Pkwy., Dublin

4 BEDROOMS
plus heated & filtered pool. Central entry, quiet court, decorated with perfection. Complete built-in kitchen. Unbelievable price of $49,950. Try 10% down or submit your terms.

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LIVERMORE

HUGE FAMILY ROOM
Your family will love X-Mas in this big beautiful family room. Cental air conditioned 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Tempo. Large lot with many fruit trees. FHA - VA terms. $45,950.

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BIG OL HOUSE
2-story Colonial house features 4 huge bdrms., library, formal dining, re-modeled kitchen, laundry room, chamber room off the huge living room, and lots of character. Only one like it. Only $67,000.
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800 Main St. 462-4535

BY OWNER 3 bdrm., 2 bath, pool, 2 car garage, must sell. $22,900. Open House, 5-10, at 2152 Buckskin Rd., Livermore

BY OWNER: Sharp 3 bdrm., 1 bath: Southside home. Fully carpeted, paneling, w/AEK, Principals only $35,000. 455-1584.

BY OWNER: Desperate - Will consider offer. 3 bdrm., Sunset Fontonette. Valued $46,950. Principals only. 462-5807 aft. 5 p.m.

BY OWNER: 4 bdrm., fam. rm., frplc., upgraded cpts, shake roof, lg lot, garden & fruit trees. Nice area. 443-0109.

LIVERMORE

SACRIFICE SALE
Save thousands on this 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2300 sq. ft., redwood model in Sunset. Large lot, zone air, custom drapes, shag carpets and much more. See it today. $59,950.

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2205 4th St., Livermore

ASSUMPTION
Payments less than $250 per month on this air conditioned 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Fully carpeted, covered patio, near school. Little cash needed to assume low interest VA loan. No qualifying necessary. See it today. $34,950.

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THROW AWAY YOUR MOP
Even the bathrooms are carpeted in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath Sunset West home. The kitchen and family room floors are kid-proofed with Scotchguard carpet. It's ideally locatted on-quiet street. Assumable FHA loan. Only $38,500

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FIRST & K ST., LIVERMORE

BE SURPRISED
Surprised at how much home you can get. 4 bedroom, central air, covered patio and all electric kitchen that is as convenient as you can find. The lot is wide enough for access for your boat. **$37,650.**
PAT O'KEEFE
158 Maple, Liv.
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C-O-O-O-O-L
That's what you'll be in this air conditioned Monterey model with 3 bdrm., 2 bath, bonus room. Carpets over hardwood floors, huge family room with wet bar, finished garage with automatic opener. Beautifully landscaped, ideal for the active family. Assumable FHA loan. $42,950.

VALLEY REALTY
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CONVENIENCE
Convenient to shopping - 2 blocks. Convenient to parks - 3 blocks. Convenient to schools - 4 blocks. And convenient to freeway. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, all electric kitchen. Neat and clean. All for a conveniently low price of **$35,950.**

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443-3600
2157 First St, Liv.

COUNTRY SETTING
with city conveniences. 3 bdrm., 1½ bath, cent. air, new paint & wallpaper, built-in appliances, wall to wall carpets, quiet neighborhood, $39,500.

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CLEAN
Probably the cleanest home on the market. Over-sized air conditioner unit with electronic filter won't allow dust in this house. Complete vegetable garden and low maintenance front. Over 1700 sq. ft. in this 3 bdrm. home. Elegantly decorated and priced to sell at a low Shadowbrook price of $58,500.
MARSHALL PERRY, INC.
800 Main St. 462-4535

EVERYTHING YOU NEED - Well kept 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with plush carpets in living room, hall & master bedroom. Central air conditioning & heat. Sprinklers front and rear. Built-in gas range, doughboy pool w/filter (18x12). Drapes, fireplace, panelling. $41,000.

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FIRST & K ST., LIVERMORE

LIVERMORE

EASE THE SQUEEZE
This scrumptious 4 bedroom home will fit almost any large family. Central air, breakfast nook, big lot, and vacant. **$48,950.**

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DEL VALLE REALTY
DOVER WAY BEAUTY - 3 bdrm., 2 bath, new carpets, big back yard, patio, vegetable garden, vacant. $41,500.
NORTH FRONT RD. - Zoned Hwy. Coml., block bldg., city water, septic tank, ideal spot for truck stop.
DEL VALLE RLTY 443-1990

FEELING FREE
is the way it will be in this older non-tract 3 bdrm., 1½ bath home. 2 - story Spanish style with two large lots completely fenced in. Needs a little fixing up, but what a buy at $34,950.

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BE SURPRISED
Surprised at how much home you can get. 4 bedroom, central air, covered patio and all electric kitchen that is as convenient as you can find. The lot is wide enough for access for your boat. **$37,650.**
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158 Maple, Liv.
455-5575

FHA-VA BUYERS
Don't wait to see the 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in nice area. Close to schools and shopping. Dough boy pool with new liner, concrete side yard access. Call now. Only $34,000.

VINTAGE
Realty 443-8700
2205 4th St., Livermore

IF YOU ARE LAZY
but still want a nice 4 bedroom home, this is for you. All, and I mean, all of the hard work is done. Just move in and enjoy. Nice carpets, very lovely fireplace. Easy to maintain yard. Quiet street. **$40,950.**

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2157 First St, Liv.

IT'S FREE
living for all in this beautiful 3 bdrm., 2 bath home. Fireplace, air conditioning, new carpets, nice drapes, covered patio, big tree. Paneling and all for only $33,950.

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COOL IT!
in this lovely air conditioned 3 bdrm., 2 ba. ranch home, or relax on the oversized patio, while the sprinklers do your watering. This is really an excellent value & the owner may help with closing costs. FHA-VA ok. $33,950.
829-4700
Pacific Coast Realtors

LEASE
With option to buy this neat 3 bedroom, 2 bath nicely landscaped home on a nice quiet court. Check this better buy out now. **$40,950.**
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LONESOME
This 4 bedroom home is vacant, and needs a loving family. The carpets are plush, the paneling rich, the floor plan convenient. The yard is easy to care for. Priced below similar models. **$42,900.**

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MODEL SHARP
describes this very neat 3 bedroom, 1½ bath home, landscaped and decorated to perfection, upgraded carpets, custom drapes, and you won't be disappointed here. **$39,950.**
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MORE FOR YOUR MONEY
Immaculate 3 bdrm., 2 bath home in the Tempo area. Formal entry, plush carpets & drapes, central air. Upgraded inside & out. Call for an appointment to see this beauty. Only $42,300.

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MORE KIDS THAN BEDROOMS?
Better see this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with family room. Carpets are like new. This home has had a lot of tender care, and shows it. **$39,950.**

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$8,200 ASSUMES
Sharp 1 year old 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with central air, family room with fireplace, carpeting, drapes, brick patio. Assume $38,700 VA loan at 9% A.P.R. with payments of $409 per month. Quick possession. Asking $46,900.

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LIVERMORE

3 BDRM., 2 BTH., family rm., w.w. cpts, frplc, AEK, 2 car garage, low pymts, $9500 assump. or refi., owner/agent, 443-7084.

NONE LIKE IT
Not a thing undone in this nearly-new 3 bedroom, 1½ bath home, landscaped and decorated to perfection. Call to see it, it's a real sight to behold. **$38,950.**
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$4000 DOWN
and assume existing 8½% VA loan. Owner will carry second. No qualifying on this fantastic 3 bdrm., 2 bath home in Cinnamon Creek. Central air, brand new wall to wall shag carpets. $40,950.

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HONEY DO
She'll say, "Honey, do buy this one." It is the nicest 3 bedroom home in town. Decorated to perfection. There will be no "Honey, do" this and that, because it is all done. Carpets, drapes, covered patio. Bring your honey to see it. **$43,950.**

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2157 First St, Liv.

THIS OLD HOUSE
Will charm you with its high ceilings and spacious rooms this 2000 sq. ft. home includes 4 bdrms. 2 baths - formal dining room. built-in hutch, separate eating area in kitchen, and a "Loft," There's room for the large family who wants a buy of the Century offered to you at only **$41,500.**

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THREE ACRES - Two year old 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on three acres with lots of outbuildings (2-horse barn, chicken coup, hog pen, loading pen) all fenced. Electric range and oven, carpets, dishwasher, fenced and cross-fenced. $48,500.

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TWO WHOOPS AND A HOLLER
That is what you will give when you see this dramatic tri-level. Large, well-draped living room. Four big bedrooms. 2½ baths, party sized rumpus room with wet bar. Automatic sprinklers. A must see. **$55,950.**

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443-3600
2157 First St, Liv.

VACANT-HELP
This lovely 3 bdrm., 2 bath, east side home needs someone now! Features central air, self-cleaning oven and upgraded carpets. Just reduced. **$39,950.**
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VALLEY EAST: 2 story, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, low payments, low inerest. Will trade for smaller home.
PEARSON REALTY
447-2440

YARDS & YARDS
of beautiful concrete work surrounds this lovely 3 bedroom 2 bath home, with central air, 100% wool carpets enhance the interior & you'll love the enclosed patio for summer & winter use. $39,500. 455-4650.

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4088 East Ave., Livermore
455-4650

SUNSET WEST
Simply gorgeous Antique type home with 3 bdrm., 2 baths, fam. rm. with B.B.Q., formal dining, central air cond. and sewing room. Super condition, only $44,950.

VERY ANXIOUS
Price reduced $15,000. Now you can buy 274 acres for only $35,000 (that's only $128 ac.). Terms available. Mines Road area.

READY TO GO
Sellers have bought a New home and are ready to deal. Somerset 4 bdrm., 2 bath with formal dining, fam. room, heated pool & FHA or GI terms $47,500. Easy freeway access too.

SMALL COUNTRY
Over ½ acre outside city limits, animals O.K. Small older 2 bdrm. home for $35,950.

PLEASANTON
Desirable Highland Oaks Area. Fantastic Tri-level on corner lot. 4 bdrm., 2½ baths, beautiful carpets throughout. Patio and raised deck overlooking heated pool. Easy access to freeway. $67,800.

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314 Nadine St.,
CATHEDRAL
Ceiling in living room is just one of the features in this lovely home. 3 bdrm. 2 bath, AEK, decorator rods and drapes, shag carpeting, redwood covered deck, completely landscaped with sprinklers. Excellent floor plan. **$36,950.**

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PARQUET FLOORS - covered with new gold carpet, new drapes in living room, dining room & family room. You will enjoy private sun court and the privacy of your yard with this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Fireplace and new built-in vacuum-system, plus a doughboy pool. $46,500.

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PRESTIGE AREA - Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on large corner lot with convenient shopping center just across street and RAD LAB just minutes away. Tile entry, tile baths, large dressing area in lovely master bedroom. All electric kitchen, 2 sliding doors to rear yard, fireplace, dining room, family room. $39,900.

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FIRST & K ST., LIVERMORE

SIDE ACCESS
Can be had with this very nice expanded Tempo home, featuring 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central air, AEK with dishwasher, landscaped and decorated to a "t." **$42,950.**
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SOMERSET SHEFFIELD. 4 bdrm., step-down family room with fireplace, cul-de-sac, shake roof. All this and assumption, too. $43,950.
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REALTOR 462-2770
268 Main St., Pleasanton

SPRINGTOWN. 2 bdrm., 2 bth., ww cpts., central air/ heat, enclosed patio. $32,950, shown by appt. only, 443-6357.

SUNSET EAST
at its best. Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath, original kitchen in the round, expanded. Built-in BBQ and wet bar. What a place for entertaining. **$56,500.**
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SUNSET MAGNOLIA
Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home featuring circular kitchen with breakfast bar, formal dining, lots of wallpaper. Call to see it now. **$52,950.**
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SUNSET-BUDGET
Here's your chance to move into a prestigious Sunset 3 bedroom, 1½ bath home complete with wall-to-wall carpets, fireplace, and large lot. Hurry, only **$37,950**
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OPEN HOUSE, by owner, Sat. & Sun., 9-2 P.M., 632 Catalina Dr., excel. financing, 3 bdrm., Sunset Fontonette. 462-5807.

YESTERDAY'S CHARM - with today's conveniences. Display your antiques beautifully in this old - fashioned home, while you enjoy its modern features. Why buy a tract home when you can have the best of two generations? $38,500.

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3½ BEDROOMS
2 baths, central air & a beautiful pool, too. See this unusual home on a quiet street. $43,500.

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PLEASANTON

ASSUME
existing FHA loan of approx $20,000, with 7½ a.p.r. for balance of approx 27 years. Total payments $196. Outstanding 3 bdrm, 1½ bath, separate laundry, electric kitchen. Try GI or FHA also. Great value here at $28,950.

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BORN TO BE FREE
Easy it will be to buy this beautiful Holiday model in Pleasanton Valley. 4 bdrm, 2 bath, 2500 sq. ft. all on one level. Air conditioning and landscaped to perfection front & back. $65,950. Call for appointment.

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BY OWNER: 3 bdrm., 2 bth., fam. rm., newly decorated, cent. air, $44,950. 462-5848.

COUNTRY CLUB CLOSE. Beautiful low maintenance landscaping, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, air, deck, spotless throughout. $49,950.
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ELEGANT 3 BDRM., 2½ bth., Tri-level on cul-de-sac, air, lg. covered patio, $52,950, 846-8627, owner/agt.

PLEASANTON

BRAND NEW LISTING
4 bdrm., 2 bath, cul-de-sac, possible side access, lots and lots of extras. Add this one to your list to see. $48,950.

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BUILD YOUR OWN. Work with the builder and design custom features to your heart's delight. A few choice Rosepointe lots - available, all with view. Prices start at $75,500.
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BY OWNER, PLEAS. MEADOWS, immaculate 3 bdrm., 2 ba., culde-sac, near school. By appointment only. 462-1274.

EXCEPTIONAL VAL VISTA. Air, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, fireplace in family room, deck, sprinklers, $45,500.
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FIVE BEDROOMS PLUS "COZY RETREAT"
Builder definitely had Mom & Dad in mind here when he added a fantastic retreat on to the Master bedroom. You will appreciate the much sought after privacy. Wallpaper, drapes, wall to wall carpets, great family room, separate indoor laundry, and 3 full baths. It's a BETTER HOME at **$72,950.**

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Pleasanton
462-4200

FREE LIVING
is when you move in and take possession of this beautiful Morrison tri - level. 3 bdrm, 2½ bath, plus huge family room with cozy fireplace. Sideyard access with gate. Freshly stained, it's ready to move into. Only $50,950. Seller will help with buyer's closing costs.

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FREE SPIRITS
Enjoy outdoor living around a lovely pool with a huge backyard.

OPEN SUN 1-5
From Hopyard take Valley Trails drive to Lassen St., to 3930 Mt. Rainier Ct. Quick possession, Excellent Terms.
SHARLEEN WETZEL

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FREE TO YOU
Collector's item. Come in and pick up your Foothill High football, basketball and baseball schedules. One to a family while they last.

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163 W. Neal, Pleas.

HELP
Sellers have purchased another home. They have tastefully decorated this 3 bdrm., 2 bath private home. Huge Master bdrm. double garage with auto. door opener, Cabana pool club, Walk to downtown. $40,000.

VINTAGE
829-4100 Rlty.
7045 Dublin Bl., Dub. (AAA Bldg)

HIGHLAND OAKS
Beautiful 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with lovely hardwood plank flooring in family room, wall - to - wall carpets, extra large lot. **$46,950.**
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Realtors 443-7000
1585 Olivina, Liv.

MOVE IN NOW
Why rent when you can own this 2 bdrm. 1 bath home with air cond., plus Cabana Club and boat/trailer storage area. **$21,950.**

VINTAGE
829-4100 Rlty.
7045 Dublin Bl., Dub. (AAA Bldg)

NO DOWN GI
Vacant, sharp, 3 bdrm, 1½ bath condominium. Complete electric built-in kitchen with dishwasher. Wall to wall carpets thruout, zoned air, separate laundry. Courtyard, huge play area for the kids. Asking $28,950. Submit. Owner might help with closing costs.

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NO QUALIFYING
Assume this low interest FHA loan rate of 8¼ a.p.r. Payments only $223 with everything, for balance of 27 years. Super 2 bdrm, 1½ bath. Window coverings stay. Only 3 yrs old. Try small down and seller may help finance. Steal at $26,950.

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OPEN SUN. 1 - 5
3753 ASHWOOD DR.
Assumable 7% a.p.r. VA loan. Foothill Farms tri-level, birch paneled family room, shag carpets over hardwood floors, wallpaper, large patio & deck, Doughboy pool. Close to Foothill High School. 3 bdrm., 2½ bath, 1900 sq. ft. $49,950.

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PLEASANTON

OPEN SAT. & SUN.
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VAL VISTA
3 bdrm. 2 bath, Corner Lot, Close to Shopping, Newly painted inside & out. New upgraded carpets, custom drapes, fireplace, elec. kitchen, dishwasher, $44,700.
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WOULD YOU BELIEVE?
Large 4 bedrm., 2½ baths, fam. rm., Air Cond. backyard landscaping w/brick patio and more. Only $52,750.

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7124 Village Parkway Dublin

OPEN SUN. 1-4
5544 PASEO NAVARRO
DEL PRADO BEAUTY
for the growing active family. 2500 sq. ft. including 5 bdrms., 2½ baths, formal dining room, 2 fireplaces & beautiful heated pool. Call today, won't last long.

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7124 Village Parkway Dublin

OPEN SUN. 1 - 5
3485 VINEYARD
Don't miss this old town special, 4 bdrm., 2 bath, grandmother's charm with modern conveniences. Deep lot, mini-farm setting. Your host, Dennis Bell.
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REALTOR 462-2770
268 Main St., Pleasanton

OPEN SUN. 1-4
1608 CALLE SANTIAGO
3 bdrm., 2 bath, central air, clean. This is a premium Park Villa. FHA or VA OK. $39,990.

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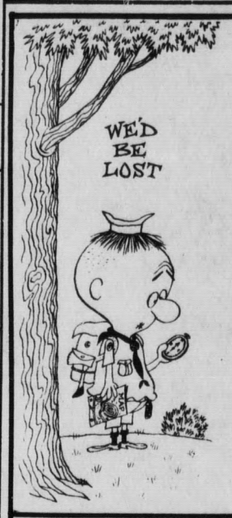
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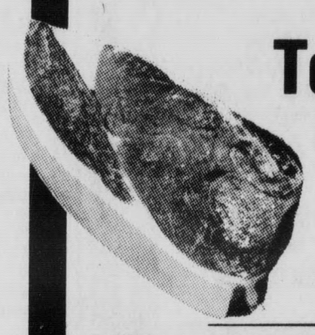
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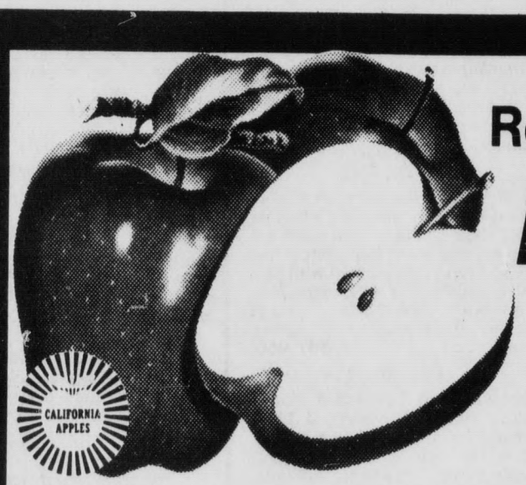
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